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BIRTHS.

PUTTON.—October 10, at her residence, Junction Inn, near Mudgee, Mrs. Matthew D. Putton, of a son.

MACKINTOSH.—August 25, at her residence, the Grammar School, Toowoomba, Queensland, the wife of John Mackintosh, M.A., of a daughter.

MORISON.—October 11, at Orange, the wife of George W. Morison, of a son.

NORTON.—October 9, at Morven, Double Bay, the wife of Charles T. Norton, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

COOPER—LLOYD.—August 29, at the Congregational Church, Blackheath, by the Rev. Joseph Beazley, John Joseph, son of John Cooper, Esq., of Swiss Cottage, Dacre Park, to Maria Eleanor Nellie, second daughter of Mr. Benjamin S. Lloyd, of Sydney House, Belmont Park, Lee, Kent.

FOOT—CHAMPION.—October 3, by the Rev. E. Madgwick, T. J. Foot, Queensland, to Florence Knight, fourth daughter of the late Captain T. W. Champion, of New Quay, England.

DEATHS.

ARMSTRONG.—October 12, at her son's residence, 'Rylstone,' after a long and painful illness, Annie Maria, relict of the late William Wield Armstrong, aged 77.

CAPPER.—October 10, at his residence, Newcastle, W. C. H. Capper, aged 46 years.

MACLEOD.—August 3, at Fettes-row, Edinburgh, Colonel Henry Bannatyne Macleod, retired list Royal Artillery, aged 53 years.

NICHOLS.—October 10, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, 37, Wellington-street, Chippendale, George Nichols, native of Gloucestershire, England, and late of Ashfield, in this colony. He leaves three daughters to lament their loss.

SAINTY.—October 9, at her parents' residence, Crown-street, Surry Hills, Elizabeth, the beloved daughter of Charles F. and Sarah Jane Sainty, aged 12 years and 6 months. "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

SKINNER.—October 10, at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mr. W. Parker, Gloucester Cottage, Wyndham-street, Waterloo, Amelia Ellen, wife of Mr. W. R. Skinner, bookseller, Market-street, Sydney, and eldest daughter of James and Elizabeth Jones, a native of Parramatta, aged 30 years and 4 months.

SHIPPING.

PACIFIC MAIL S. S. CO. OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA. Under contract with N. S. W. and N. Z. Governments. CITY OF NEW YORK, 3000 tons, W. B. Cobb, commander, will be dispatched at 3 p.m. on FRIDAY, 19th October, 1877, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Drafts, payable in gold, in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.
Forms of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents, Spring-street.
No cargo received on the day of sailing.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND direct.—The Pacific Mail Steamer CITY OF NEW YORK, 3000 tons, W. B. Cobb, commander, will leave as above on FRIDAY, the 19th October, at 3 p.m.
Fares at current rates.
Passengers for Waiwera Hot Springs by P. M. Co.'s steamers forwarded free of fare from Auckland to Waiwera.
For freight or passage apply to GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Spring-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. The Company's S.S. AVOCA, 1482 tons, 250-horse power, W. H. Pockley, commander, will leave SYDNEY for MELBOURNE on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 12 noon.
Passage money—Saloon, £4; second-class, £2.
Cargo at local rates.
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf 11th October 1877.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited). OVERLAND ROUTE, via Torres Straits and Singapore. The magnificent new steamship SOMERSET, J. Torrance, commander, under contract with the Government of Queensland, will leave Cosmopolitan Wharf on SATURDAY, November 3, at noon, taking mails, goods, and passengers.
The facilities of passengers by this route proceeding to any of the European or Eastern ports from Singapore are as follows:—To Europe—Mail steamer weekly, and frequent other opportunities. To Bombay, Madras, and Ceylon—Mail steamer weekly. To Calcutta—Fortnightly. To Manila—Fortnightly, in connection with French mail steamer from Europe.
Passengers can be booked for Venice, Brindisi, and Southampton, and forwarded by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamers.
For rates of freight or passage apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—The E. and A. M. Company's splendid R. M. S. SOMERSET, J. Torrance, commander, will be dispatched to MELBOURNE from Cosmopolitan Wharf, on MONDAY, 15th October, at 4 p.m., having been postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather.
For freight or passage apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

STEAM TO MANNING RIVER.—The new steamer BEAGLE, Captain Hersee, will leave Caledonian Wharf twenty-four hours after arrival.
JOHN RITCHIE, Agent, King-street.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street North, as follows, weather permitting:—

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER:	
CITY OF GRAFTON	TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 16th October, at 9 p.m. direct.
FOR MACLEAY RIVER:	
AGNES IRVING....	THIS NIGHT, MONDAY, at 9, direct.
FOR RICHMOND RIVER:	
PLATYPUS	On WEDNESDAY, 17th Oct., taking cargo at greatly reduced rates.

Intending Passengers are invited to inspect the superior accommodation on board these favourite steamships.
Passage rates to and from Grafton.

Saloon:		Steerage:	
Single ticket....	£3 0 0	Single ticket	£1 15 0
Return ditto....	5 0 0	Return ditto	3 0 0

JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE.
FROM SYDNEY.
TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at 11, the MORPETH.
Goods for Clarence Town forwarded TO-MORROW NIGHT. Freight payable in Sydney.
SHIPPERS ARE PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO SEND GOODS, for shipment to the Hunter, EARLY IN THE DAY, to ensure dispatch and prevent loss of time to draymen.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—Foot of Market-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
TO MELBOURNE.—Wotonga, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30; and City of Melbourne, Saturday afternoon, at 1. (FARES AND FREIGHTS AT CURRENT RATES.)
TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Ly-ee-Moon (with English mail), Saturday, 20th instant.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, AND MORPETH.—City of Brisbane, to-night, Monday, at 11; and Collaroy, Wednesday morning, at 9.
TO BRISBANE.—Wentworth, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30, and Governor Blackall, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Steamer early.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—James Paterson, 48 hours after arrival.
TO PORT DENISON, TO CLEVELAND BAY, TO CAIRNS (Trinity Bay), TO COOKTOWN WHARF — Wentworth (without transhipment), this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
TO CARDWELL, TO KEPPEL BAY, TO FLAT-TOP ISLAND — Wentworth, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above PORTS.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
Steam to
COOKTOWN WHARF
CAIRNS (Trinity Bay)
CLEVELAND BAY, and
PORT DENISON
(without transhipment).
The splendid steamship WENTWORTH, 1000 tons, J. M'Lean, commander, will be dispatched for the above ports, via Brisbane, THIS (MONDAY) AFTERNOON, at 4.30.
Fares and freights at current rates.
For all particulars apply to FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS TO WOLLONGONG.—To-night and To-morrow night, at 11.
KIAMA.—To-night and To-morrow night, at 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow night, at 11, and Friday night, at 11.
MERIMBULA, Eden, and Tathra.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA.—Friday, at 11 p.m.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.—PARRAMATTA, RYDE, ERMINGTON, and NEWINGTON STEAMERS, from KING-STREET, THIS DAY, at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. From Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE STEAMERS, from King-street, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 4.15, 5, 6.15, 11. FIVE-DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD, from King-street, 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15. From Five Dock, 7.45, 8.30, 11, 2.45, 5.15, 7.15. From Gladesville, 8, 8.45, 10, 11.15, 2, 3, 4, 5.25, 6, 7.30. From Hunter's Hill, 8.15, 9.5, 10.15, 11.25, 12.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.30, 6.15, 7.30, calling at Cockatoo.

BRISBANE WATER.—S. PELICAN leaves King-street every FRIDAY, 8 a.m.; return same day.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
The s.s. KEMBLA will leave SYDNEY for NEWCASTLE, THIS DAY (Monday), TO-MORROW (Tuesday), and on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY NIGHTS, at half-past 11; and will leave NEWCASTLE for SYDNEY, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, and on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY MORNING, at 10.
H. D. FORTUS, Manager.
Offices—Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, Sydney; and Scott-street, Newcastle.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, AND MARYBOROUGH. The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

Ship.	Master.	Sailing Date.
FOR MELBOURNE:		
MACEDON....	F. H. Stanford	TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 4 o'clock.
YOU YANGS..	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, Oct. 19.
BARRABOOL..	John Pain....	TUESDAY, Oct. 23.
FOR BRISBANE:		
EDINA........	J. H. South..	WEDNESDAY, 24th October.
FOR MARYBOROUGH:		
EDINA........	J. H. South..	WEDNESDAY, 24th October.

carrying passengers and cargo. Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE, available for three (3) months, by any of the Company's steamers, leaving every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa. Cargo received for the above ports every day.
These vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners.
Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.—The favourite powerful steamship HERO, 1000 tons, Thomas Logan, commander, will leave the Grafton Wharf for Auckland direct on TUESDAY, 16th October, at 4 p.m.
Passengers should book early. The saloon is amidships.
Shippers are requested to apply for shipping orders without delay.
Passengers booked for the famous Waiwera Hot Springs.
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO NOUMEA NEW CALEDONIA.—The splendid steamship GUNGA, R. Edmondson, commander, will sail as above THIS DAY, leaving the A. S. N. Company's Wharf at 4 p.m.
FREIGHTS and passage at lowest current rates.
For further particulars apply to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE.

STEAM TO NOUMEA, NEW CALEDONIA.—Under contract with the French Government. The Union Company's powerful steamship TAIAROA, H. J. C. Andrew, commander, will be dispatched from the Grafton Wharf THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.
FREIGHT, 20s per ton. As only a limited quantity of dead weight can be taken, early application is necessary.
ALL SHIPMENTS must be completed by noon.
For all particulars apply to FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all New Zealand Ports.

Ship.	Tons	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
WAKATIPU..	1796	A. Cameron....	About 19th October, via Wellington.
ROTORUA ..	1000	....	31st October, via Auckland.

NEW CALEDONIA.
TAIAROA, on arrival next Suez mail.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—The fine steamship TASMAN, 760 tons register, will be dispatched from the GRAFTON WHARF, TUESDAY MORNING, 23rd October, at 9. For freight or passage, apply to T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 48, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO THE NORTHERN PORTS.
TO BRISBANE
TO TOWNSVILLE
TO CAIRNS
TO ISLAND POINT
TO COOKTOWN WHARF
(DIRECT WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT).
The new and powerful steamship COREA will be dispatched as above, THIS DAY, at 4 p.m.
CARGO now received at TOWNS' WHARF, Miller's Point.
For rates of passage, freight, and all further particulars, apply to PARBURY, LAMB, and CO., Spring-street.
N.B.—Bills of lading and receipts will be signed on board.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY (weather permitting), leave Queen's Wharf 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 12.15, 4.30, 6, 7*.
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30.
Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.15, 4.45, 5.30, 8* p.m.
Trips marked thus * omitted on Wednesdays.
Fare: Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s. On Saturdays and Sundays return ticket, 1s.
N.B.—Extra late boats will leave Sydney for Manly Beach on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS at 11.15 p.m.
Dogs travelling with the passengers will be charged 1s per head.

STEAM TO LONDON, via THE SUEZ CANAL.—The Pacific Steam Navigation Co.'s magnificent steamer CHIMBORAZO, 3847 tons register, 3000-horse power effective will leave Sydney SATURDAY, the 20th OCTOBER, CALLING AT MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, carrying first, second, third, and steerage passengers.
To be followed by the

Ship.	Tons.	To sail.
S. S. CUZCO	3845	10th December.
S. S. LUSITANIA	3825	—

WOOL, TIN, AND OTHER PRODUCE FOR NEW YORK.—Shippers are requested to notice that a through bill of lading will be given for wool, tin, and other produce shipped by this line hence to London, to be transhipped there into the National Steam Navigation Company's steamers for New York.
Passengers stopping at Port Said can proceed to Venice by local steamers and spend the winter months on the Continent, en route to England.
Canal dues, eight shillings each passenger.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., General Agents.
WOOL received at MARSDEN and SON'S.

FIRST SHIP FOR LONDON. THE AGNES ROSE is now fast loading, and will be dispatched for the FEBRUARY SALES.
Has superior saloon accommodation, and can take a few second-class passengers in the house on deck.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents.
Wool received at Marsden and Sons'.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON, FOR THE FEBRUARY SALES. The splendid clipper ship PATRIARCH, 1339 tons register, H. PLATER, Commander, will be dispatched as above.
Has superior accommodation for SALOON passengers.
For freight or passage apply to Captain PLATER, on board; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON, For the February Sales. The magnificent clipper ship SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, 1444 tons register, R. BOADEN, commander, having all DEAD WEIGHT stowed, and being nearly fully engaged for WOOL, offers the BEST OPPORTUNITY to shippers wishing to secure the FEBRUARY SALES.
For freight or passage apply to Captain, on board, at Circular Quay; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR LONDON.—The magnificent ship GILROY, 1677 tons register, 100 A 1 at Lloyd's, Robert Leslie, commander, will load with dispatch for LONDON.
To secure a good passage, the Gilroy will be docked and painted before her departure.
WOOL received at Marsden and Son's Wool Stores.
For freight and all information apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents; or to FRED. EBSWORTH, Broker.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON direct. The favourite clipper ship NINEVEH, 1174 tons, John Ross, commander, having a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched as above for THE FEBRUARY SALES.
Wool and other cargo now received at Talbot's stores.
For freight or passage apply to Captain Ross, on board; to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, 5, Gresham-street; or to HENRY AUSTIN, 35, Hunter-street.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.—FOR FEBRUARY SALES. To sail about 20th instant. The fine A1 Aberdeen clipper ship JOHN DUTHIE, 1031 tons register, ALEXANDER LEVIE, Commander, having all her dead weight on board and stowed, and the bulk of her wool in store, will sail as above.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board; or to DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at FLOOD and CO.'S.

THE LONDON LINE.—For LONDON, the well-known A1 clipper INDUS, 1319 tons register, W. Hunt, commander, will have quick dispatch.
For freight or passage apply to E. and W. PAUL, Agents, 62, Margaret-street. B. P. CAMPBELL, Broker, 3, Gresham-street.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS FOR ENGLAND, STEAM TO LONDON DIRECT. Messrs. Money Wigram and Son's magnificent clipper steamship DURHAM, 2300 tons register, 300-horse power nominal, 1500 indicated, F. Anderson, commander, will leave Melbourne for London on WEDNESDAY, 7th November.
The saloon cabins are provided with every requisite for the voyage. Second and third class and steerage accommodation are unsurpassed, and the dietary scales are unusually liberal.
An experienced Surgeon and Stewardess accompany the vessel.
FARES:
Saloon (according to accommodation required).
Second-class, £27 to £30.
Third-class, £16 to £22.
Steerage, £16.
A liberal allowance made to families.
For plans of cabin, dietary scales, and all particulars, apply to M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

FIRST VESSEL for AUCKLAND.—The clipper brig SYREN, C. Sainty, master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will have quick dispatch. Cargo is now being received at the Patent Slip Wharf.
For freight or passage apply on board; or, to WM. LAIDLEY and CO., Agents, Exchange-buildings.

BELLINGER RIVER.—Lalla Rookh first fair wind; now receiving cargo at Lime-st. Wrf. R. Langley.

FOR BERMAGUI, Cobargo.—Annie Brooks, now receiving cargo. Henry Clarke, Victoria Wharf.

FOR RICHMOND RIVER (all parts).—Amphitrite, Pratt, master, going up to Lismore; now receiving cargo at the Patent Slip Wharf. Freight payable in Sydney. G. F. MASON, Agent.

S. S. CHIMBORAZO for LONDON, in Neutral Bay.—The steamer AGENORIA will ply daily from the Circular Quay, from 2 till 5.30 p.m., leaving the Quay every half-hour, conveying visitors and intending passengers FREE to the Chimborazo.
Tickets to be had on application.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

S. S. WAKATIPU, from New Zealand Ports.—NOTICE to Consignees—Cargo will be landed THIS DAY, at Smith's Wharf, and the vessel will not be responsible for any loss or damage to goods after being landed; consignees are therefore requested to arrange to take delivery immediately on discharge.
FREDERICK W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

R. M. S. ZEALANDIA, from San Francisco.—Consignees of goods by this vessel are requested to pass Customs ENTRIES at once for Parbury's Wharf. Any goods impeding the discharge will be cleared, landed, and stored at the consignees' risk and expense, and the ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after it is landed. Bills of lading must be produced at the office of the undersigned, and orders for delivery obtained, before the goods will be delivered.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents, Spring-street.

SHIP HARLAW, for LONDON.—All ACCOUNTS against the vessel must be rendered in duplicate, to the undersigned, by noon, on TUESDAY next, the 16th instant, or they will not be recognised.
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FREIGHT for ADELAIDE.—Wanted, a moderate sized VESSEL. BEILBY and CO.

KETCH JUNO, for SALE, bargain; 28 tons burthen, off A. S. N. Co's Works. Fisher & Co., 11, King-st.

FOR SALE, new varnished SKIFF, 18 feet. J. Henderson, Captain Rowntree's Floating Dock.

FOR SALE, the well-known colonial barque, EXAMINER, carries 300 tons on 9 feet draught, well found, and now ready for sea. Apply JAMES COX and CO., Victoria Wharf.

WANTED to purchase, RIVER STEAMER, capable of carrying from 60 to 100 passengers, on a draught of from 4 to 5 feet of water. Speed not less than 10 knots.
WM. LAIDLEY and CO, Agents, Exchange.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.—Merchants' and Pool PRIZES will be paid on WEDNESDAY next, at 2nd Regiment Office, 10, O'Connell-street, at 7.30 p.m. Selection will be made of prizes in kind at the same time. Winners must make arrangements to be represented. W. FOSKETT, Secretary.

2 CO.—DRILL, TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7.30. C. A. WILSON, Captain.

BALMAIN CORPS, V. R.—Musketry Instruction, Position DRILL, at School of Arts, THIS EVENING, at 7.30.
W. F. LONGFIELD, Captain.

WANTED, Volunteer LAND-ORDERS. Apply E. Oatley, Blackwall Stores.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

PYRMONT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Annual TEA MEETING will be held in said Church on TUESDAY EVENING, 16th October, at half-past 6 o'clock. Rev. R. S. Paterson will preside. Addresses will be delivered by several ministers and others. Tickets may be had from the manager, or at the door.

UNITED EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.—The Noonday Prayer MEETING will be held daily, in the Masonic Hall, from 12 to 1 o'clock. The Rev. J. D. LANGLEY will preside THIS DAY.
The Choir will be present and lead the Service of Song.
THOMAS B. TRESS, G. C. TUTING, Joint Secretaries.

THE usual Weekly Mid-day PRAYER MEETING will be held in the Temperance Hall, THIS DAY, from 1 to 2 o'clock. The Rev. T. B. TRESS will preside.
J. BARNIER, F. HIBBERD, Hon. Secretaries.

SCHWEPPE'S MINERAL WATERS have been renowned for their excellence and purity for upwards of a century, and almost universally recommended by the leading medical men of the day—have always had the patronage of Royalty, and continue to be supplied to her Majesty the QUEEN.
At Hotels, Cafés, &c., ask for SCHWEPPE'S, and see that the name is on the label over the cork.

PERSONS ADVERTISED FOR.

AGENCY and INQUIRY OFFICE.—Inquiries conducted for private individuals, legal and mercantile community. Missing friends, &c., traced. OTTO BERLINER and CO., 4, Bond-street, off 276, George-st.

CHARLES MUNN, Painter, late of the Greenwich Pier Hotel, Watson's Bay, requested to communicate with Messrs. ELLIOTT and THOMAS, Enquiry Office, Elizabeth-street. Something to his advantage.

CARRINGTON.—FREDERICK ALFRED CARRINGTON, Esq.—who sailed from England on the 12th of June, 1869, for Melbourne, in the ship Naval Reserve—if living, is requested to communicate with the undersigned, who owing to the death of Mrs. Hester Carrington, is acting for his, the said F. A. Carrington's two daughters. If dead, information of his death is required. Any person giving authentic information will be rewarded. W. E. FOSTER, Solicitor, Aldershot, England.

ELLIOTT and THOMAS, Missing Friends, Private and Confidential Agents. All communications strictly confidential. Office—61, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

FRANK HOLSTEIN, late of Enmore.—Friend has Letters for you. Address O. P., HERALD Office.

GENTLEMAN that called at 131, Castlereagh-street, for Board and Residence, can be accommodated.

IF WILLIAM FORD, Brother-in-law to late WILLIAM TURNER, of St. George's, near Bristol, and who knew the Rev. George H. Stanley, M.A., of Sydney, in May, 1861, will communicate with JOSEPH WETHERED, of the Avenue, Clifton, Bristol, he may hear of something to his advantage.

JOSEPH O'BRIEN, please call at 309, Castlereagh-street, immediately.

MR. GEORGE W. GRIM,—Letters await you at 345, Elizabeth-street South.

MRS. WALTER MARSHALL write to your brother JAMES. Address Burwood Post-office.

NO LETTERS for JOHNSTON; if for me, be more particular in address.

A YOUNG lady wishes to become acquainted with 339. Address Addie, General Post Office.

MEETINGS.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—A MEETING of General Committee will be held at the Town Hall, THIS DAY, at 4 p.m.
Business important.
JNO. DALGARNO, Hon. Sec.

NEW SOUTH WALES PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.
A PUBLIC MEETING of the friends and supporters of the New South Wales Public School League, for the advocacy of a National System of Education—Secular, Compulsory, and Free—will be held at the MASONIC HALL, THIS (MONDAY) EVENING, at 7.30.
The Chair will be taken by P. N. TREBECK, Esq. J.P.
JAMES GREENWOOD, Esq., M.A.
The Rev. Dr. BARRY.
JAMES FLETCHER, Esq., J.P., Wallsend,
and other friends of the cause will address the meeting.

MANIFESTO of the New South Wales Public School League for making Primary Education National, Secular, Compulsory, and Free.

1. It is estimated that in this colony one-third of the children of school age are receiving no education. In due time these children will become citizens, and it is neither fair to them nor safe for the State to let them grow up in ignorance. The first and chief aim of the League is to make education universal, by adopting a National and uniform system that shall embrace all children of school age within the colony, and that shall be based on the common equal rights of all members of the commonwealth.

2. Among all nations religious instruction is held to be supremely important. The League does not seek in any way to depreciate or hinder this instruction, but simply maintains that, in a community of various religious faiths, the State cannot justly be the religious teacher of its people. We can have no religious tests of citizenship, no religious qualification of voters, jurors, legislators, civil servants, and officers and Ministers of the Crown, such as can come within the proper cognizance of the State; and, consequently, Denominational education ought not to be supported out of public funds. Secular instruction is held to include the common literary arts, which are the essentials of all common school education. In regard to the class-books to be used, the League holds it to be beyond its province to express an opinion further than this: That common justice requires these books to be such as shall not give reasonable ground of offence to the consciences of any class of citizens, and at the same time, as reading books, they ought to give the children of an English-speaking community a fair specimen—as far as they go—of the common literature of the language. To the Scripture lessons and other class-books now generally used in our Public schools, the League has no objection to urge. Nor does it object to special religious instruction being given, provided this can be done without cost to the State, without interfering with the ordinary course of secular instruction, and without favour to any one section of the people in preference to any other.

3. Providing schools throughout the colony will not necessarily make education universal, for there are thousands of children growing up in ignorance within reach of schools already existing. The results of this ignorance cannot be confined to the families in which it is permitted to exist, but must fall upon the whole people. The League, therefore, holds that it is equitable to enforce the child's right from the parent to such a minimum of education as may qualify that child to become an intelligent citizen, and be able at least to read the laws which he must obey at the peril of his liberty and even his life. A compulsory provision need not force a single child into the State schools—it only claims power to compel attendance where parents and other guardians of children are neglecting to have them educated up to a given standard, and where no satisfactory reason can be given for such neglect. It will be for Parliament to determine both what the standard must be and what are the constitutional ways in which the power to compel can be equitably and efficiently applied.

4. The League proposes that, whatever standard of education Parliament may decide upon as the minimum of which all children are to be in possession, this standard shall be free of fees to all the children of school age throughout the colony. There will thus be no invidious distinction between those who pay and those who do not; for all will pay equitably through the general taxation of the country, and therefore none will be in the position of paupers. Beyond this minimum standard the League leaves it for Parliament to determine whether fees shall or shall not be charged, as may be found practicable and most convenient.

SYNOPSIS.

NATIONAL.—All children of a given age to be either receiving or in possession of a given minimum standard of literary knowledge—the age and standard to be fixed by Parliament.

SECULAR.—This standard to include the course of instruction now in common use in Public schools; Denominational schools to cease to be certified or supported by the State.

COMPULSORY.—Parents and guardians neglecting to educate their children to be compelled to send them to Public schools, if sufficiently available, to receive the minimum of instruction provided by the State.

FREE.—No fees to be charged for this minimum, and all subjects beyond that to be left for the decision of Parliament.

THE GREAT AIM OF THE LEAGUE IS TO HAVE EVERY ADULT INHABITANT OF NEW SOUTH WALES ABLE TO READ AND WRITE.
J. W. WATKIN, J. CRANNA, Hon. Secretaries.

NEW SOUTH WALES PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.
A PUBLIC MEETING of the friends and supporters of the New South Wales Public School League, for the advocacy of a National System of Education—Secular, Compulsory, and Free—will be held at the MASONIC HALL, THIS (MONDAY) EVENING, at 7.30.
The chair will be taken by P. N. Trebeck, Esq., J.P., James Greenwood, Esq. M.A., the Rev. Dr. Barry, James Fletcher, Esq., J.P. (of Wallsend), and other friends of the cause will address the meeting.
ADMISSION FREE.
A collection will be made to defray expenses.
Subscriptions and donations will be received by the undersigned; or by the Hon. Treasurer, Mr. F. J. THOMAS.
J. W. WATKIN, J. CRANNA, Hon. Secretaries.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.—A MEETING of the Committee will be held at Tattersall's, THIS (MONDAY) EVENING, the 15th instant, at 8 o'clock. Business: To decide on what ground the return Intercolonial match shall be played, and to transact any other business which may be brought before the meeting.
JOHN M. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS' ASSOCIATION, NEW SOUTH WALES.—A MEETING of the Councillors will be held on TUESDAY next, at the Office, 96, Elizabeth-street, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of considering what steps shall be taken in the forthcoming Parliamentary elections.
F. WEBSTER, Secretary.

WORKINGMEN.—No. 1 Public MEETING, THIS EVENING, Bathurst-street Column, Hyde Park.

FREE-SELECTORS' CONVENTION.
The Delegates will MEET at the Imperial Hotel, Wynyard-square, Sydney, instead of at Petty's, as previously announced.
G. ADAMS.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—A Public MEETING of the Inhabitants of Ashfield will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall, Liverpool Road, on TUESDAY next, the 16th instant, at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of alleviating the distress now existing amongst the British subjects of India by famine.
DANIEL HOLBOROW, Mayor.

NO. 1 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—The Ninth Annual MEETING will be held at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING, 31st October, at 7.30. To receive Report and Balance-sheet, elect Directors and Auditors, and transact such other business as may be brought forward in accordance. Candidates for office must be nominated in writing, to the Secretary, fourteen days before the date of election.
WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Secretary.

NO. 1 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—A Sale of the right to an Advance on MONDAY EVENING, 15th October, at 8 o'clock. Members are requested to leave their Pass-books for the audit.
WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Secretary.

EASTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Monthly MEETING of this Society will be held in the Schoolroom, Point Piper Road, on TUESDAY, 16th October, at 7.30 p.m., when two prizes for collections of twenty-four cut Roses, offered by Messrs. De Lissa and Richardson, will be competed for.
Mr. W. Lipscombe will read a paper on "Roses and their cultivation."
Prizes awarded at the late Spring Show will be handed over to the successful exhibitors.
Collections of Roses for competition must be staged before 5 o'clock, at which hour they will be judged.
GEORGE WICKHAM, Hon. Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES BUSH MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—The Twenty-first ANNUAL MEETING of the above Society will be held, TUESDAY EVENING, 16th instant, at the Temperance Hall, W. J. FOSTER, Esq., in the chair, beginning at 7.30.
The Annual Report will be read, and the meeting will be addressed by the Revs. William Bradley, P. H. Cornford, J. F. Cullen, and H. Macready.
J. PALMER, H. BARGENT, Secretaries.

MASONIC.—DISTRICT GRAND LODGE NEW SOUTH WALES, English Constitution.—The Quarterly Communication of the District Grand Lodge will be holden at Freemasons' Hall, York-street, THIS DAY, at 7.30 p.m.
By order.
R. LEWORTHY, D.G. Secretary.
Sydney, 15th October, 1877.

COLOSSAL MEETING of WORKING MEN TO-NIGHT, at Bathurst-street Column, for the purpose of nominating real working men as candidates. MARTIN GUEST, J. H. WEST, W. JENNETT.

CRYSTAL Spring Lodge No. 20, I. O. G. T.—Meeting, To-night, 7.30, Masonic Temple, Clarence-street.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING CLUB.—DEBATE, THIS (Monday) EVENING.—"That Manhood Suffrage as an electoral qualification is insufficient." PERCEVAL PEDLEY, Hon. Sec.

WORKING MEN'S DEFENCE ASSOCIATION.—The Conference of Delegates from Working Men's Defence Association, Free Selectors' Reform League, Trade and Labour Councils, meet THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock, at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street. This Conference has nothing to do with any conference of dummy selectors or squatters' representatives.
J. M. O'CONNELL, Sec.

NO. 74 L. O. L. meets this MONDAY EVENING, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall, Darling-street, Balmain.

ROSE OF AUSTRALIA LODGE, United Ancient Order of Druids.—Important MEETING, TO-MORROW NIGHT. Consideration of new rules, &c.
W. ADAMS, Secretary.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION.—A SPECIAL MEETING of the GRAND LODGE will be held at the Masonic Temple, Clarence-street, THIS EVENING, at half-past 7. W. H. DAVIES, Gr. Secretary.

WOOLLAHRA LITERARY INSTITUTE.—Debate in Rooms, Forth-street, TO-NIGHT,—"That man is more dependent on the animal than the vegetable kingdoms." THOMAS R. STEEL, Secretary.

MASONIC.—Lodge Mannah, No. 567, S. C.—Emergency MEETING, at New Temperance Hall, 8 p.m.

NO. 54 L. O. L. will hold a regular Monthly MEETING, THIS (Monday) EVENING, in the Congregational Schoolroom, St. John's Road, Glebe, at 8 sharp. Visitors invited. By order of T. SMITH; W.M.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.—A Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Offices, Pitt and Hunter streets, on MONDAY, the 15th October, at 2 o'clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending 30th September; to elect two Directors in the room of Messrs. S. D. Gordon and James R. Fairfax, who retire by rotation (being eligible for re-election); and to elect one Auditor, in place of Mr. H. E. Tidswell (likewise eligible for re-election).
By order of the Board.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
27th September, 1877.

The Hon. S. D. GORDON, Esq., M.L.C., and JAMES R. FAIRFAX, Esq., have given the requisite notice that they are Candidates for re-election, as above, to the office of Director.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
6th October, 1877.

THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
I beg to intimate to my friends and shareholders generally, that I am a CANDIDATE for the office of Director.
JOHN BRIDGE.

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE CITY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I am a CANDIDATE for a seat at the Board of Directors. Should you elect me, I will use my best efforts to insure the Company's success.
I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN SEE,
123, Sussex-street.

EDUCATIONAL.

CIVIL SERVICE Exam. Class, Bookkeeping, Arithmetic, French, Drawing, Illuminating. 27, Hunter-st.

MR. F. MORLEY, Organist and Pianist, 267, Forbes-street, Darlinghurst, or care of Nicholson and Ascherberg, George-street. References: Rev. George Hurst, Rev. J. H. Fletcher, Newington College; Dr. Quaife, Woollahra; and Rev. T. S. Forsaith, Camden College.

LADIES' COLLEGE.—Principal, Mrs. BARDWELL. DANCING-CLASS every WEDNESDAY. Conducted by Miss KING.

MUSIC LESSONS taught, on reasonable terms (as in a school). Apply, 83, William-street.

MANLY BEACH.—Ladies' COLLEGE, conducted by Mrs. and Miss Eddis. Private dancing class every Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Read attends.

SINGING AND PRODUCTION OF THE VOICE.—Signor ARTURO STEFFANI, late Primo Basso Assoluto of the Royal Italian Opera and Carl Rosa English Opera, of London, having terminated his engagement with the Italian Company now performing in Australia, is prepared to give Instruction in English and Italian Singing, and the Production of the Voice. Prospectus of terms, Signora Steffani, Lindum House, 148, Castlereagh-st.

A GENTLEMAN is required to give LESSONS in Music, to play the organ, and to instruct the choir; salary, £150 per annum, with board and residence. Applications, with references, to be forwarded to H. S. Southey, Oaklands, Mittagong.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.—Wanted, for the Moonta Model School, a HEAD MASTER, HEAD MISTRESS, and MISTRESS for the Infant Department; salaries £400, £200, and £175 respectively. Applications will be received up to October 30. John A. Hartley, President.
Education Office, Adelaide, October 1, 1877.

REQUIRED, a resident Junior TEACHER. Apply Mrs. Herbert Evans, Pembroke College, Randwick.

WANTED, a good SCHOOL for a Girl, 12 years. Terms, &c., K., HERALD Office.

MACHINERY.

NEWSPAPER FOLDING MACHINES for SALE, to fold sheets 36 x 48. Apply at the HERALD Office, Sydney.

HORTICULTURE, FARMING, ETC.

PRICKLY COMFREY.—Fine healthy plants. HILTON BROWNE and CO., Newtown.

EX CHIMBORAZO.—Our new SEEDS are now landed. HILTON BROWNE and CO., Newtown.

SAVE your clothes by having them marked by one of SMITH and MERRITT'S AMERICAN RUBBER HAND STAMPS. Business Stamps of all designs manufactured at 156, King-street, opposite Supreme Court, Sydney. Country orders punctually attended to, and samples forwarded.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, at Railway Station, on Saturday, a Carpet BAG, containing clothes. Reward at 35, Oxford-street.

LOST, between Oxford and Bourke sts., child's white worked CAPE. Please return, 29, Botany-st., S. H.

LOST, Tortoiseshell PURSE, with letter M on, containing money. Reward, M. BROWN, 3, Spring-street.

LOST, Tinsel and Bead MATCHBOX, mounted. J. EVE, Tobacconist, Pitt-street, near Post Office.

LOST, in William or Bourke streets, part of EAR-DROP, topaz stone. Reward. 157, Bourke-street.

LOST, from a dray in George or Bridge streets, a Roll of China MATTING; reward. R. GRAY, SON, and CO.

LOST, between Bourke-street and 213, Crown-street, a gold Telescope PENCIL. Whoever will bring the same to the above address will receive 10s. reward.

LOST, a CHEQUE, on the English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank, No. 551,836. Payment stopped. Apply THOMAS CHESTER, No. 4, Prince-street.

LOST, on Saturday night, about 10 o'clock, by a young lady, in George-street, between Park and Bathurst streets, a brown Leather BAG, containing money. A reward will be given by bringing the same to WRIGHT, DAVENPORT, and CO., No. 5, Barrack-street.

£2 REWARD.—LOST, £5-NOTE, in Elizabeth-street. Apply 646, Elizabeth-street.

FOUND, a PURSE, containing money. Owner can have the same by description and paying cost of advertising. Little Hill's Big Shop, 791, George-street.

£5 REWARD.—STOLEN, on 7th instant, light Bay HORSE, SP off shoulder, about 16 hands, tail docked slightly, one white hind foot. J. K. BOWDEN, Parramatta.

STOCK, SHARES, AND MONEY.

MONEY advanced upon the security of Tradespeople, Householders, and others. BILLS OF SALE, or otherwise, at 20 per cent. per annum. As this advertisement is bona fide, and does not emanate from any Loan Office Agency whatever, the public can address in confidence to Delta, Box 41, General Post Office.

EQUITABLE PERMANENT B. BUILDING LAND, and SAVINGS INSTITUTION, 284, Pitt-street.—Immediate Loans are made to persons on security of Freehold or Leasehold Property, by which they can purchase or erect dwellings, as well as redeem private mortgages, repayable by easy instalments of 5s 4d per week for each £100 advanced. This clears off the interest and principal in a less period than (as in some other societies) where the weekly payment is smaller. Interest charged each year only on the unpaid part of the loan, and the whole may be paid off at any time.
INVESTORS desirous of selecting a suitable and safe mode of gathering together small sums are offered every facility. Subscribing shares are issued each requiring 1s 6d per week, which gathers interest at 8 per cent. yearly.
Every information afforded by applying to THOS. MILLER, Manager.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY.—BOARD OF MANAGEMENT: George Renwick, Esq., President. Wm. Day, Esq., John Woods, Esq., John Roseby, Esq., James Pessell, Esq., David Elphinston, Esq., Wm. Clarke, Esq.
NOTICE.—Deposits received to any extent. Special rates on application.
By order of the Board.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.
Offices, Park-street, one door from George-street.

£5 TO £1000 ADVANCED by the undermentioned Company to those requiring TEMPORARY ACCOMMODATION, upon any REASONABLE SECURITY namely—
Note of hand, deposit of deeds, bequests, reversionary interests, trade bills, bill of sale (without possession), merchandise, &c., &c.
To meet the convenience of borrowers, parties may repay their instalments, if required, at the following REDUCED SCALE:—

£10 0 0	by instalments of	£0 5 0	per week.	
15 0 0	"	"	0 7 6	"
20 0 0	"	"	0 10 0	"

Any larger sum required, repayment to be made, if desirable, at the same rate.
REAL and PERSONAL ADVANCE COMPANY, Offices—6, Bligh-street, opposite the Turkish Baths. Hours—9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

STANDARD LOAN, DISCOUNT, AND MORTGAGE COMPANY. Head Office—160, PHILLIP-STREET, 160 (4 doors from King-street).

MONEY ADVANCED upon PERSONAL and other security.

TABLE OF INSTALMENTS TAKEN.

Loan. £	Weekly. £ s. d.	Monthly. £ s. d.
10	0 6 0	2 0 0
15	0 7 6	2 10 0
20	0 10 6	3 10 0
25	0 12 6	4 3 4
30	1 0 0	5 6 8
50	1 5 0	6 13 4

Any larger SUM can be arranged for.
Advances promptly made. Letters of application attended to with dispatch.
REBATE allowed by this Company on loan paid in before the time arranged for has expired.
160, PHILLIP-STREET, 160. (4 doors from King-street).

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK, 125, ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH, next St. James's School. First established in Sydney.
MONEY advanced in sums from £5 to £1000, on two responsible securities. Arrangements can be made for WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY payments.
BILLS OF SALE on Furniture, without possession.
Advances made upon mortgage, deposit of deeds, merchandise, bonded certificates, trade bills, &c.
Forms may be had gratis.

THE UNITED BANKING COMPANY. HEAD OFFICE. CORNER OF KING AND YORK STREETS.
This bank has been established to meet a great demand which has heretofore existed in this city, viz., for the transaction of LOANS, ADVANCES, and DISCOUNTS, &c., at MODERATE RATES OF INTEREST. GREAT FACILITIES will be given to borrowers desirous of purchasing businesses of any description, STATIONS, FARMS, HOUSE PROPERTIES, TOWN OR COUNTRY LANDS, &c., and, in all instances, the terms for repayment of same will be made to suit their convenience. This Bank will advance without any initiatory charges, in sums from £5 and upwards (to be repaid by easy instalments), on personal and other security. Bills of Sale on Furniture without possession. Deeds of Freehold or Leasehold Property, in town, or country, on Stock, Shares, Merchandise, Bonded Certificates, Reversionary Interest, &c., &c.
BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.

ADVANCES made without extra charge, in small or large sums, on reasonable terms, repayable by weekly, monthly, and quarterly instalments. ALEX. COOPER, 106, Elizabeth-street.

MONEY to LEND. MONEY to LEND.—
Money advanced in small or large sums
Money advanced at low rate of interest
Money advanced on furniture (without possession)
Money advanced on personal security
Money advanced within 24 hours of application.
H. C. ROBERTS, Financial Agent, 84, King-street.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY, MONEY ON EASY TERMS. MUTUAL LOAN and DISCOUNT OFFICE, 42, HUNTER-STREET, OPPOSITE THE UNION BANK.
Money in sums of £5 to £5000, to male or female, in town or country, on note of hand, stock-in-trade, crops, farm stock, or to assist persons to take a business. Loans to any amount on furniture, without removal, law cost, or publicity; also on the deposit of deeds, bonds, shares, reversions, &c. Mortgages to any amount on freehold and leasehold property. Bills discounted. Interest from 5 PER CENT.
N.B.—This being a genuine office for all mercantile monetary transactions, borrowers will do well to apply and consult the Manager, 42, Hunter-street.

£1000 IN large or small Amounts to LEND, by a Capitalist.
GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, Gentlemen, Tradesmen, and others, can be accommodated upon personal security or otherwise.
A system (new) of repayments upon the easiest terms, to suit all borrowers.
BORROWERS can be assured that the charge for any advance is upon the most reasonable scale. The utmost confidence can be relied on.
Advances made on deposit of freehold or leasehold deeds, without expense of mortgage, in small or large sums.
Address in confidence to Alpha, Box 382, G. P. O.

£1000 WANTED, at 6 per cent., 5 years, freehold security. Y. Y., 111, King-st.

THE NATIONAL LOAN AND DISCOUNT COMPANY, 51, Hunter-street, 51. UNDER ENTIRELY NEW MANAGEMENT.
THE NEW PROPRIETORS make CASH ADVANCES on a CONVENIENT and LIBERAL system of repayment.
£5 to £1000 for short or long periods, on note of hand alone, personal security, deposit of deeds, leases, trade stock, bonded certificates, &c.
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THE UTMOST FACILITIES GIVEN to persons desirous of establishing a business, furnishing hotels, purchasing houses or landed properties, &c.
LOWEST RATES and every convenience to borrowers.
Bills discounted daily.
Letters will receive prompt attention.
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OFFICES: 791, GEORGE-STREET (first floor), eight doors from Christ Church.
Hours—9 to 5, and 7 to 9 every evening.
MONEY ADVANCED upon PERSONAL and other security. Repayable by instalments as follows:—

£10 by weekly instalments of			£0 6 0
15	"	"	0 7 6
20	"	"	0 10 6
25	"	"	0 12 7
30	"	"	1 0 0
50	"	"	1 5 0

And in due proportion up to £100.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
To Borrowers not able to transact business during the day, these offices will be open from 7 to 9 p.m.
791, GEORGE-STREET, first floor, (8 doors from Christ Church).

METROPOLITAN and SUBURBAN TERMINATING BUILDING and INVESTMENT SOCIETY. Office, 303, George-street.
ADVANCES on SHARES will be sold on the first Monthly MEETING Night, TUESDAY, October 16. Borrowers pay only 6 per cent. interest per annum.
ROBERT W. CONWAY, Secretary.

THE OPERATIVES' PERMANENT BUILDING LAND AND INVESTMENT SOCIETY. TEMPORARY OFFICE, 234, PARK-STREET.
PAID-UP SHARES, £20 each, bear 6 per cent. interest.
INVESTING SHARES—weekly subscription, 6d per share.
BORROWERS can repay LOANS in any number of years.
ALL SHAREHOLDERS participate in PROFITS.
MONEY received on FIXED DEPOSITS, at highest rates of INTEREST.
ALEX. OGILVIE, Secretary.

WANTED, CAPITAL for an enterprise which promises splendid results. J. B. North, 139, Pitt-st.

£10,000 WANTED, on mortgage of city property. Palmer, 177, Pitt-st.

TRUST FUNDS for investment, upon mortgage. SMITH and COPE, Solicitors, 179, Pitt-street.

TENDERS

TO PILE DRIVERS.—TENDERS are invited for PILE FOUNDATIONS to be constructed on the premises of the Australian Gas-light Company, Darling Harbour.
Plans and specifications may be seen on application, to Messrs. MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, the 18th instant.

TENDERS are invited for the MASONRY and BRICKWORK required in the construction of RETORT OVENS and foundations on the premises of the Australian Gas-light Company, Darling Harbour. Plans and specifications may be seen on application to Messrs. MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney, to whom tenders, endorsed "Tender for Masonry and Brickwork of Retort Ovens," are to be addressed, on or before THURSDAY, the 18th instant.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received up to the 22nd instant for the Erection of a Weatherboard Cottage at Petersham. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of THOMAS ROWE, Architect, Vickery's-chambers.

PEAK DOWNS COPPER for SALE.—TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Peak Downs Copper Mining Company, until 3 o'clock p.m., on WEDNESDAY, the 17th instant, for the purchase of 103 tons Refined Copper, in cakes and ingots, now in Sydney.
The Company does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.
Further particulars can be obtained from the Secretary of the Company.
D. N. JOUBERT.

TO SHIPWRIGHTS.—TENDERS required for Repairs to barque Australasian Packet. Specifications to be seen at 147, Pitt-street, where tenders are to be sent.

TENDERS wanted for Plastering, large job, at building, Curtis Road, Balmain. George Milham.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Cottage Villa at Petersham.
Plans and specification at the office of the Architect, to whom tenders are to be delivered not later than the 19th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Architect, 305, George-street.

TO CARPENTERS.—TENDERS invited to SATURDAY, 27th instant, for Erection of STORES and STABLING, &c., Sussex-street. Plans, &c., with FERDINAND REUSS Junior, Architect, 183, Pitt-street.

BUSH CLEARING.—TENDERS for. Apply J. WETHERILL, Pitt-street.

TO CARPENTERS.—TENDERS are invited for Roofing a large Cottage; labour only. N. WALLIS, Architect, 77, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Residence, at Petersham. Plans and specification with the Architect, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before the 16th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect, 305, George-street.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a House at Balmain. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, 362, George-street, on or before the 22nd instant.
HAROLD BREES, Architect.

TENDERS wanted for Painting; Plumbing, &c.; labour only; Slating, ditto. Apply Macnamee's Hotel, Crown-street.

No. 77-63. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, October 13, 1877.
TO CONTRACTORS.—TENDERS will be received at this Office, until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, 23rd instant, for Forming, Ballasting, and Blinding Irving-street, from Abercrombie-street to Balfour-street, in accordance with the specification, to be seen at the City Surveyor's Office.
CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

TENDERS are invited for about One Hundred Loads of small Quarry RUBBLE, for paths, to be delivered at the Congregational Burial Ground, Devonshire-street. Tenders received up to THURSDAY, 18th October, at the Office of S. THOMPSON and CO., Lloyd's-chambers, George-street.

TENDERS required for the cash purchase of 1000 (one thousand) tons of the best STONE LIME, to be taken from the ship's side, not less than 20 tons weekly. The quality will be guaranteed as equal to sample of 100 tons being retailed at 40s per ton, at the Stone Lime Depot, corner of Sussex and Druitt streets.

TENDERS for Brickwork. Apply after 11, This Day, sharp. R. Minell, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Glebe.

BERRIMA, NATTAI, KANGALOON.
Like the ivy twining round a tree, giving a lustre and a beauty to her appearance—
So these three places will twine round the young, vigorous, and growing Bowral, adding to her prosperity and strength.
Nattai and Bowral will be so interwoven together "they will become as one."
The other two, in due course of time, will stand alone in all their glory.
The sun and the wind tried their strength on a traveller garbed in a cloak.
The fierceness and fury of the wind was of no avail against the radiant heat of the sun.
Without angry and boisterous words, the bond of union will be severed when the time is ripe for it.
It is not for me to give the "tip" which will be the winner of the three mile race.
One I give—
BOWRAL,
for the first mile and quarter race.

TO ORNITHOLOGISTS.—A gentleman in Scotland is willing to exchange well authenticated EGGS of European Birds in sets for those of the Australian Continent or New Zealand. Apply to M. B. O. U., care of Messrs. Robertson and Scott, newsagents, Edinburgh.

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AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
B. N. JONES .... Stage Manager.

GRAND SUCCESS
of
CHEEVERS and KENNEDY,
in their
Great Dramatic Novelty,
THE TWO FOUNDLINGS.

THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock,
THE TWO FOUNDLINGS,
a Drama founded on Captain Marryat's celebrated novel,
JAPHET IN SEARCH OF A FATHER,
with the following introductions,
"THE DOCTOR,"
"THE ROVING IRISH BOY,"
"THE TWO FOUNDLINGS,"
"GERMANY,"
"IRELAND,"
"AFRICA,"
"FAREWELL TO THE CAMP,"
with Jigs, Reels, and Hornpipes, &c.; and
THE NEW YORK POLICEMAN.

Box Office, at Elvy and Co.'s.
Carriages at 10.45 p.m.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
On SATURDAY, 20th October, 1877,
will appear
the celebrated Shakspearian delineator,
Mr. CHARLES POPE,
in Shakspeare's sublime tragedy,
MACBETH.

First extract from the *Melbourne Age* of the 29th September:—
"Shakspeare's immortal poem, 'Macbeth,' was produced at the Theatre Royal last night, and played with unwonted ability. Mr. Pope's interpretation of the character of the ambitious Thane presented points of sterling merit. He looked every inch a soldier, and he pourtrays the man torn and dragged about by contending passions with the skill and care of a student of great promise. His bearing in the chamber leading to the king's apartment prior to the murder was that of a man who contemplated the perpetration of a dreadful deed his conscience with all its force warned him not to commit, and his expressions of dread remorse after the murder were graphic, touching, and withal subdued. His explanation of his murder of the king's 'spongey officers' was toned down to the apologetic and plausible terror that a guilty man would put on who sought to hide in his false face the deeds his false heart knew. His simulation of haunted fear in the banquet hall was a piece of trembling agitation perfectly real. The final combat was no less masterly. The shock to mind and nerve were well revealed when the paltering, in a double sense, of the juggling fiends was unravelled by the coming of the wood from Birnam, and the manner of Macduff's birth revealed."

QUEEN'S THEATRE.
Lessee and Manager....Mr. L. M. BAYLESS.

ENGAGEMENT.
SIMONSEN'S ROYAL ENGLISH
OPERA COMPANY
and
MADAME FANNY SIMONSEN.

LAST NIGHT
Last Night
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Last Night
of
MADAME FANNY SIMONSEN,
in
THE GRAND DUCHESS
THE GRAND DUCHESS
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THE GRAND DUCHESS.
RECEIVED EVERY EVENING WITH
UNBOUNDED APPLAUSE.

THIS EVENING, for the LAST TIME,
Offenbach's Sparkling Opera
THE GRAND DUCHESS.
Madame FANNY SIMONSEN as the GRAND DUCHESS,
including
The LEOPOLD FAMILY in their GRAND BALLET.

TO-MORROW, Tuesday,
by GENERAL DESIRE, and for POSITIVELY LAST TIME, MARITANA
MARITANA.

WEDNESDAY,
for the FIRST TIME in Sydney, Strauss' comic opera
DIE FLERDERMUS.

Box office—Messrs. Nicholson and Ascherberg's.
Stall and pit tickets at Mr. E. Cole's, stationer.

EXHIBITION BUILDING.
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MONSTER GRAND
SKATING
ENTERTAINMENT and CONTESTS,
in aid of the
INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND,
under the management of
Mr. LOUIS MEYER,
Director of Metropolitan Skating Rink,
on
TUESDAY EVENING, the 23rd October.

Full particulars and time for practice will be duly announced.

NOTICE.
SKATERS favourable to the above are respectfully invited to attend a MEETING at Hook's, Freemasons Hotel, York-street, THIS DAY, the 15th instant, at 5 p.m., to make arrangements to carry out the above.
LOUIS MEYER.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—SKATERS are respectfully invited to attend a MEETING, TO-NIGHT, at HOOK'S FREEMASONS' HOTEL, at 8 o'clock sharp, to confer about the Grand Monster Skating Entertainment and Contest, at the Exhibition Building, in aid of above Fund.
LOUIS MEYER.

PARRAMATTA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.
The SPRING SHOW will be held in the Park, Parramatta, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, 17th and 18th October.
Open from 2 till 6, and from 7 till 10, on WEDNESDAY; and from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., and 7 to 10 p.m. on THURSDAY.
Admission:—MEMBERS free on production of ticket; non-members, 1s each.
J. J. MILLER, Hon. Sec.
Single fares for the double journey.

I. O. O. F., M. U.—LOYAL ST. JOHN'S LODGE, Newtown.—Excursion to Clontarf to celebrate the anniversary of the above Lodge, on WEDNESDAY, October 17th. The Young Australia Band engaged. Football, cricket, and quoits. 'Buses will leave St. Peters and Enmore at 8.15, Newtown railway bridge 8.45. The commodious steamers Breadalbane and Emu will leave the Circular Quay at 9.30. Tickets, including 'bus and steamer—adults, 2s 6d; children under 12, 1s 6d. No tickets will be sold in Newtown after the 16th.
No gambling allowed.
W. PRATT, Hon. Secretary.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION
and
ENTERTAINMENT,
PAVILION, IVANHOE PARK,
MANLY.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY,
LOYAL NATIVE ROSE LODGE, I.O.O.F., M.U.,
THIS EVENING,
MONDAY, October 15.

PART I.
BENSON LEES, the ILLUSIONIST,
in his Mysterious Entertainment.
PART II.
SONGS, RECITATIONS, DANCES,
concluding with
Mr. H. BENSON LEES, in his Ventriloquial Entertainment.

The Metropolitan Brass Band, under the leadership of Mr. G. W. Vincent, will perform on board the steamer.
Steamer will leave Queen's Wharf at 7 o'clock, returning from Manly at 10.30.
Tickets, including steamer's fare, 2s 6d.
Front seats, 2s; back seats, 1s.
N.B.—Tickets can be obtained on board.

BRITISH LION DIVISION, No. 140, SONS OF TEMPERANCE will celebrate their Anniversary by a grand TEA MEETING and Entertainment THIS EVENING, October 15th, at St. David's Schoolroom, Surry Hills. Brother EVANS, G.W.P., will preside. Tickets, for Tea and Entertainment, 2s; children, 1s; Entertainment only, 1s. Tea on the table at 6.30. Entertainment to commence at 8 o'clock.
Tickets to be had at the door.
W. J. EVANS, Hon. Secretary.

SPENCER'S Royal Polytechnic, 222, Pitt-street.—Open daily from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m. Concert at 8.

TEMPERANCE HALL, NEWTOWN.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1877.
Look out for
THE MOUNTEBANK'S DAUGHTER,
a Comic Drama in 3 acts.
By the Members of the Bon Accord A. D. S.,
to be followed by a Grand Concert.
Admission, 2s and 1s. Doors open half-past 7, curtain rise 8.
W. G. LESLIE, Stage Manager.

THEATRE ROYAL.
Sole Lessee and Director .... Mr. S. Lazar.
Treasurer .... Mr. James Beaty.

CONTINUED BRILLIANT SUCCESS.
of
Miss EMILY SOLDENE
and her renowned and complete
ENGLISH COMIC OPERA COMPANY,
under the management of
Mr. C. A. CHIZZOLA.

MAGNIFICENT RECEPTION
[illegible] DANCER,
THE ECCENTRIC [illegible]
Mdlle. SARA.
Mdlle. Sara.
Mdlle. Sara.

THIS EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCE [illegible] the
received, by a house packed to the roof, with
GREATEST ENTHUSIASM.

THIS (Monday) EVENING, October 15,
for the FIRST TIME IN SYDNEY,
the ORIGINAL VERSION
of Herve's Comic Opera
CHILPERIC
Chilperic
Chilperic.

Chilperic (her original role) .. Miss EMILY SOLDENE.

In Act 2,
Mdlle. SARA,
THE ECCENTRIC DANCER,
will appear in a
GRANDE DANSE CARNAVALESQUE,
assisted by
Miss FLORENCE SLATER
Miss JULIA BARBER,
and
Miss ADA MOXON.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.
Dress circle, 5s; stalls, 3s; family circle, 2s; pit, 1s.

The BOX PLAN open daily from 10 till 4 at NICHOLSON and ASCHERBERG'S, where dress circle seats may be secured, and tickets obtained for all parts of the house.
Carriages at 10.30.
NO FREE LIST, THE PRESS EXCEPTED.
SAMUEL LAZAR.

THEATRE ROYAL.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
Holders of tickets unable to obtain admission on Saturday evening, will be admitted THIS EVENING.
SAMUEL LAZAR.

FISHING EXCURSION.—EMPRESS OF INDIA will leave Circular Quay, WEDNESDAY, at 8 o'clock; Tickets, 5s. J. HALSTEAD.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
OVERLAND TO MELBOURNE.

MELBOURNE RACES,
3rd, 6th, 8th, and 10th November, 1877.
Return tickets, £10 each, available for one month.

For the convenience of those parties who are desirous of attending the Melbourne Races, arrangements have been made with the Victoria Railway Department, and with Cobb and Co., mail coach proprietors, for the through journey from Sydney to Melbourne overland.
From Sydney to Southern terminus, by rail.
From Southern terminus to Albury, by coach.
From Albury to Melbourne, by rail.
Return tickets, £10 each, available for one month, will be issued at Cobb and Co.'s office, Pitt-street, Sydney, from MONDAY, 22nd instant, to SATURDAY, 3rd November, both days inclusive.
To prevent overcrowding of the mail coaches, tickets will be issued by Cobb and Co. only, who will be able to regulate the days on which passengers can be accommodated.
JOHN RAE, Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 11th October, 1877.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
11th October, 1877.
TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon of TUESDAY, the 23rd October, from persons willing to supply
Three large Mooring Buoys
Three large Mooring Swivels, and
Three large Mooring Shackles.
The whole to be delivered to the Harbour Master, Newcastle.
Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Marine Board.
W. A. LONG.

General Post Office,
Sydney, October 13, 1877.
TENDERS will be received at this office up to noon on WEDNESDAY next, the 17th instant, from persons willing to supply Linoleum for the floor of the Operating Room of the Electric Telegraph Department.
Full particulars as to dimensions, quality, &c., can be obtained on application to the Superintendent Electric Telegraphs.
Tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the General Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for Linoleum."
JOHN DAVIES.

PUBLIC COMPANIES.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
Chief Office—35, Cornhill, London.
Capital, £1,000,000. Paid up, £250,000.
Wool and merchandise insured at current rates.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO., Agents for N. S. W.
Exchange-corner, Pitt-street, Sydney.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS.

DAVIES, for EAST SYDNEY.—A Preliminary MEETING of the Friends and Supporters of the Hon. JOHN DAVIES will be held THIS (Monday) EVENING, October 15, at Pateman's Victoria Inn, Oxford and Botany streets, at 8 o'clock.
Business: To form Committee.
G. L. CARTER, } Hon.
S. KIPPAX, } Secretaries.

WEST SYDNEY ELECTION.—A MEETING of the Friends and Supporters of Mr. GEORGE R. DIBBS will be held at Kelsey's Hotel, Erskine-street, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 16th instant, to elect committee, &c.
JOHN CRAIG, Sec. pro tem.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WEST SYDNEY.
I beg to offer myself as a CANDIDATE for the honour of representing you in the new Parliament.
My views on the leading questions of the day have been so frequently expressed in my place in the late Assembly, and are so generally known, that it is hardly necessary to recapitulate them here, more especially as it is my intention to hold a mass meeting of the electors at an early date, at which I shall be prepared to state my opinion on the policy it appears to me should direct the Government of the country in the present crisis.
I am, your obedient servant,
GEORGE R. DIBBS.
Sydney, 11th October, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE BOROUGH OF PARRAMATTA.
GENTLEMEN,—Parliament having been dissolved, I beg to intimate that it is my intention again to solicit your suffrages, and I will take the earliest opportunity of meeting you in the various parts of the electorate to render an account of my stewardship, and to ask a renewal of the confidence you have, I am proud to say, so long reposed in me as one of your Parliamentary representatives.
I remain, Gentlemen, yours very faithfully,
HUGH TAYLOR.
Parramatta, October 12, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF ARGYLE.
GENTLEMEN,—I regret that I am unable to have the honour of being again a candidate for your suffrages. As your representative for so many years, invariably elected unopposed, I valued highly the generous confidence you bestowed upon me. I will always gratefully remember it. With these feelings I remain
Your very faithful servant,
E. BUTLER.

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST SYDNEY.—Gentlemen,—The undersigned respectfully informs the electors that he will again be a CANDIDATE.
JOHN MACINTOSH,
Pitt-street.

CAMDEN ELECTION.
Mr. GARRETT will address the Electors of Camden, at Camden School of Arts, on WEDNESDAY, 17th, at 8 o'clock p.m.
The Oaks, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 5 o'clock
Picton Court House, THURSDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock
Nattai, Walker's Hotel, FRIDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock
Berrima, Court House, SATURDAY, at noon
Sutton Forest, SATURDAY EVENING, at 7 o'clock
Moss Vale, SATURDAY EVENING, at 9 o'clock.

ELECTORS OF HARTLEY.—I beg respectfully to notify that I am a CANDIDATE for re-election, and will take an early opportunity of addressing you in various parts of the electorate.
I am, yours faithfully,
J. HURLEY.

TO THE HONORABLE SIR G. WIGRAM ALLEN, KNIGHT, &c.
DEAR SIR,—We, the undersigned Electors of the Glebe and Balmain, in taking this opportunity of expressing our entire confidence in you as our representative, request that you will again allow yourself to be nominated at the forthcoming election, assuring you, in that event, of our cordial support.
Feeling, as we do, that at no period since the establishment of Responsible Government has the country stood so much in need of the services of gentlemen of ability and independence as it does at this very critical era, and knowing you to be possessed of those important qualifications, we pledge ourselves to use every exertion to secure your return.
We are, dear Sir, yours faithfully,

285 John Booth
2078 John Taylor
365 John Broomfield
2127 Henry Perdriau, sen.
1063 John Forrest, D.D.
1612 Thomas W. Keating, R.C.C.
1309 Alfred Hancock
3195 John Watson
1087 J. P. Frank
642 James Cosh, M.A.
[illegible] Frederick Harpur
[illegible] Frederick H. Trouton
[illegible] William Looke
3061 [illegible] Spencer Evans
1824 W. [illegible] B. Tress
977 Owen [illegible]
3059 Thomas [illegible]
931 Albert Elkin
1565 T. J. Jaques
3277 R. E. A. Wilkins
1528 S. H. Hyam
1902 James M'Donald
3030 Henry E. Tidswell
2353 Thomas O'Toole
537 F. R. Chilcott
1 William Abbott
4 Robert Adams
41 Henry Allen
53 Thomas R. Allt
55 George Anderson
61 William Anderson
66 Alexander Andrews
67 Andrew Andrews
68 Archibald Andrews
110 William Baldwin
122 James Banks
3370 James H. Young
3212 John Waugh
3215 David L. Waugh
3227 James Welsh
3328 James Welsh
3242 William West
3248 James Wheeler
3252 Richard White
3266 Matthew Whytlaw
3268 Charles Wicks
3274 David Wilkie
2374 Robert H. Paisley
2316 Martin O'Brien
2391 William Parker
2382 Ralph W. Palmer
2318 Patrick O'Brien
2400 John Pashley
2405 Thomas Patrick
2319 Thomas O'Brien
2426 Henry Perdriau, jun.
2322 Lucius O'Brien
2434 George E. Perry
2436 Charles Perry
2330 Thomas J. O'Dell
2331 Joseph J. O'Donnell
2443 William Peverley
2447 George Phillips
2336 Adam O'Harra
2340 Henry O'Loughlin
2345 Timothy O'Sullivan
2346 John O'Sullivan
2453 William Phillips
2458 William Phillips
2461 Robert F. Philips
2462 Richard J. Philips
2474 Jonathan Piper
2508 James Prendergast
2512 William T. Price
2546 John Rankin
2350 Patrick O'Toole
2351 Michael O'Toole
2352 Thomas O'Toole
2355 John Ogden
2522 John G. Punch
2551 John B. Rae
2563 Andrew W. Reynolds
2591 Frank Reynolds
2596 George Reynolds
1564 Arthur T. Jaques
1577 Jeremiah Jenkins
1639 Charles Kane
1582 Thomas Jennings
1647 John Keep
1588 Richard Johnson
1617 Benjamin Jones
1652 John Kelleher
1653 Albert Kelleher
1618 James Jones
1656 Edward Kelly
1657 George Kelly
1663 Thomas Kenneally
1667 Thomas Kenedy
1689 Patrick Killeen
1695 Charles King
213 John Bennett
214 Maurice Bennett
3278 William H. Wilkinson
3279 Thomas Wilkinson
3285 John Williams
3292 Patrick Williams
3298 John Wills
3306 William G. Wilson
3307 Adolphus Wilson
3321 William H. Wood
3332 Jonathan Woodgate
3338 Horace Woolnough
3340 William Wright
3350 William Wright
217 Arthur Bennett
221 Patrick Bennett
222 William Bennett
236 Peter Bernard
239 Henry Berthold
241 Howard W. Betts
251 Thomas Birkinshaw
2305 William H. Steadman
2310 John Steel
2319 William G. Stevens
252 Daniel T. Bishop
255 George Black
2023 George Stewart
2927 John Stewart
3013 John Thompson
2936 John Stewart
2945 Robert F. Stubbs
3036 Thomas Tinley
270 Henry Blay
3041 John Tomkins
3043 Sydney C. Toogood
2970 John Tatham
276 Andrew Bogle
1259 Henry J. Greville
317 Henry Boyd
1330 Magnus Harpur
1264 Robert Griffiths
1333 Walter Harpur
1294 David H. Hall
327 Henry H. B. Bradley
1331 Thomas J. Harper
1304 William Hamilton
1332 Peter Brady
1331 Philip Brady
1333 John Brady
1334 Patrick Brady
1335 John Brady
1354 Frederick Harvie
1317 Peter Hansan
316 Robert Brent
347 Thomas Brent
257 Edmund Blacket
258 Arthur Blacket
1320 Frederick G. Harden
1366 Francis Hayes, sen.
1367 Francis Hayes, jun.
1371 James Hayes
1372 Henry Hayes
1383 John M. Henderson
1385 Walter Henderson
1718 David Knight
1795 Adam Little
1799 William N. Llewellin
1729 John Lang
1734 Andrew Lane
1735 John Lane
1736 Edward Lane
982 Francis Fahey
902 William Elvins
989 James Farrelley
1757 David J. Lawlar
1103 Frederick A. Frost
1111 John Fyfe
1131 Edward Gardner
1132 Henry Gardner
1133 Edward Gardner
1138 Joseph Gates
1148 Henry G. Geary
1149 John H. Geary
1158 Joshua George
1159 Patrick Gibbs
1161 Adam Gibson
1163 James Gibson
1164 James Gibson
1183 West Glendor
1185 John Glennon
1189 Robert Glover
1212 James Goond
1213 Samuel Goond
1229 William Gray
1238 Alexander Grant
1240 James Grant
1407 Henry Hicks
1431 James Hoare
1437 Alfred Hodgkiss
1441 Charles Hoffmann
1459 James Holloman
1462 Charles Holmes
1475 William Hopkins
1486 William Howard
1809 James Logan
1817 John H. Long
1826 Pierre C. Louat
1828 William Loughlin
1008 William Fenton, senior
1009 William Fenton, jun.
1089 James Fraser
1014 Thomas Ferguson
1759 John T. Lawson
1762 Frederick Leach
1764 William Leck
1811 George Loxton
1818 Patrick Lynch
1852 Thomas Lyons
1850 Michael Lyons
1837 George Lovesy
1838 Thomas J. Lowe
1839 John Lowen
2603 James Richards
2623 Alexander Robertson
2630 Thomas Robertson
2628 John Robertson
[illegible] Peter H. M'Beath
[illegible] William M'Cool
[illegible] M'Cool
1889 [illegible] M'Donald
1890 Cha[illegible] M'Donald
1900 Neil M[illegible]
1907 William [illegible]
1913 Thomas M'[illegible]
2638 Ellis F. Robin[illegible]
2640 Frederick R. Rob[illegible]
2659 John Roderick
2746 William H. Sawyer
1908 John M'Donald, jun.
1952 John M'Quire
1949 Henry M'Kenzie
2676 Thomas Ross
2677 Thomas Rosser
1964 John M'Kinley
1965 John Mackinley
2684 Edward Row
2687 Warren E. Row
2707 Joseph Rutter
2726 Thomas Salisbury
2671 John Rose
1978 Robert M'Lintock
2161 John B. Moore
2294 George W. Nicoll
2164 George A. Moore
2287 William J. Nicholl
2170 John Moore
2169 John Moore
2275 George Neilson
2274 Robert Neilson
2173 William Moore
2176 Thomas J. Moppett
2178 Michael Morran
2261 Joseph Nash
2191 William Morrison
2263 George Nash
2261 Joseph Nash
2219 John Mullens
2256 Charles Myles
2257 Charles Myles
2223 Thomas Munkert
3130 James Walker
2245 John Murray
2244 Archibald Murray
3140 Thomas Wall
2234 Alexander Murdock
2233 William Murdock
2232 Gilbert C. Murdock
3182 Charles B. Warrington
3058 John Treacher
3188 James Watkins
3060 Alfred Triggs
3017 John Dixon
3069 Samuel Tucker
3072 Titus Turk
3194 Henry Watson
3200 Walter Watson
3125 John Walker
820 Frederick Dodson
832 John Donohue
833 John Donovan
3104 Augustus F. Venables
848 Charlton Donus
3100 Charles Vandenburgh
851 George Dowswell
852 Ambrose K. Doyle
853 Henry C. Doyle
865 Michael Driscoll
3088 Richard Underwood
949 Hugh Ellis
885 Jesse Danks
891 James Dunsmore
917 George W. Ellis
915 William Elliott
939 James R. Elliott
937 Frederick Elliott
921 George Edwards
918 Thomas Edwards
917 George Edwards
915 Edward Ebsworth
913 James Easton
896 John Dwyer
503 Thomas Cassidy
361 Thomas Brodie
366 John Bros
370 Alexander Brown
374 John Brown
389 David Brown
397 William Buchanan
400 John G. Buddle
416 John J. Burke
417 John Burke
423 James Burt
424 William Burt
508 Peter Casswell
509 Henry Catt
512 John Cavill
531 William H. Chater
538 Henry Chilcott
563 Charles Clarke
567 John Cleary
586 John G. Cohen
588 Matthew Cohen
590 George Colebrook, sen.
591 George Colebrook
595 Michael Collins
605 Edward Connelly
610 John Conway
611 James Conway
619 George Cooper
630 Martin Corbett
631 Denis Corcoran
633 Richard B. Corkhill
634 Sydney R. Corkhill
641 Thomas Cosgrove
432 Charles Butler
434 Leonard Butler
435 Leonard Butler
452 John Cobill
460 Michael J. Callaghan
475 Richard Canon
489 John Carrol
491 Christopher Carruthers
656 William Cohen
662 Alexander Creighton
687 Bilfred W. Cronnie
703 Simon Cullen
707 Frank Cunningham
713 Frederick Curtis
723 Robert Dalgleish
730 Thomas Daly
731 William E. Dance
747 Walter Davies
750 Henry Davis
759 Ebenezer Davis
768 William Davidson
773 John Dawson
782 John Degotardi
783 Philip J. De Grouchy
789 Quarten L. Deloitte
790 William H. Deloitte
788 George Deloitte
147 Charles S. Barrell
148 George Barrett
155 James Barry
175 James Beattie
176 Henry Beattie
182 William R. Beaver
191 John Beith
198 Robert J. Bell
199 Benjamin Bell
1493 Joseph Howe
1216 Alexander Gray
1360 John Haydon
2328 R. E. O'Connor
59 James Anderson
1043 Francis Fleet
1767 Michael Lee
616 Thomas Cooper
3178 Alfred Warr
1885 James M'Cloy
2985 James Taylor
87 John Ashdown
865 Michael Doyle
1368 Michael Hayes
941 Samuel Elliot
3257 Alexander White
197 William Bell
1691 William Kilpatrick
951 James Ellis
1606 John Jones
1613 William J. Jones
601 Patrick Condon
883 Samuel Duncan
831 Patrick Donnelly
1375 George Head
2306 Frederick Parsons
3338 Horace Woolnough
240 Burton F. Betham
3233 G. J. Wells
1489 Edmund Howard
1493 Isaac Howard
1497 William Hughes
1499 Henry Hughes
1506 Alfred Hunt
1507 Arthur Hunt
1509 William Hunt
1515 Frederick Huntley
1517 Leonard Huntley
1536 James Inglis
1540 Thomas Ironfield
2205 David Macready
2207 William Mac Donald
2208 James M'Donald
2011 William Makin
2016 Alexander M'Pherson
2017 Farquhar Macqueen
2035 George Mallock
2012 John E. Manning
2018 Ralph Mansfield
2053 William Marshall
2054 William Marshall
2055 William Marshall
2059 Hope Martin
2080 Charles H. May, jun.
2095 George Melville
2129 James Milne
2130 John Milne
2131 James Milne
2153 William Munchall
2138 James Mitchell
2143 William H. Moat
2773 Ferdinand Sebyer
2769 Norman Selfe
2992 William H. Shelley
2794 Thomas Shepperd
2809 William Simons
2821 William Sinfield
2845 John Smith
2868 Patrick Smith
2886 Alexander Sparks
2898 George Stack
2898 John Stack
163 Thomas Batty
180 Robert S. Barker
1187 Stephen Glover
1265 William Griffiths
[illegible] T. B. Gaden
[illegible] Joseph Sorrie
[illegible] H. P. Tidswell
[illegible] William M'Millan
[illegible] Dobson
3029 [illegible]
1986 W. [illegible] Munroe
815 H. b. [illegible]
2230 George [illegible]
2076 W. Mattn
2481 Henry Playts
2696 S. G. Russ
1551 G. F. Jackson
1527 George Hutton
20 R. J. Ainsworth
2513 C. F. Priddy
863 William Drow
2003 James M'Ney
3032 Joseph W. Tilson
1489 Edmund Howard
1869 William M'Call
2754 Charles Schultz
1088 Daniel Fraser
1078 Alfred Fox
1787 Lewis Lewis
851 George Dowswell
2311 J. L. Nutt
1384 Halley Henderson
1478 Nicholas Hopson
1556 G. R. Jacobs
1619 Joseph Kell
639 Henry Cornwell
3121 Samuel Walkley
1982 Richard M'Coy
2151 H. N. Montagu
1623 George Jones
1608 Timothy T. Jones
2200 Charles Moss
142 Robert O. Barnett
2757 David Scott
182 W. R. Beaver
862 A. J. Drewe
1134 Albert E. Gaston
273 Thomas Blundell
2708 Sawell Ryall
1099 Charles Freeman
2490 G. T. Pope
2622 W. C. Roberts
2283 W. H. Newman
3216 John Way
1063 W. H. Folmingham
164 A. Bayliss
909 George P. Eastware
1236 M. Graham
864 W. R. Drew
1755 John R. Lawrence
2928 William R. Stewart
51 John Armstrong
1262 James Green
79 W. C. Armstrong
2765 J. H. Senner
52 James W. Allpass
1571 James Jeffres
3016 John Thompson
1382 Charles Hemsley
671 Charles Creed
868 J. P. M. Ducker
1105 William Ralph Fulford
3296 James Williamson
862 A. J. Drewe
3031 Michael Tiernan
140 James Barnett
2482 F. J. Plomley
2563 William Redman
2701 John Russell
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1651 F. Killaway
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2335 George Parsonage
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1408 Henry Hicks
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1594 S. Johnson
1692 John Kimber
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890 Thomas John Dunn
2432 John Perigo
2879 Thomas O. Smith
148 Henry Barritt
437 Edward Butler
2692 Charles Royall
2104 S. Milford
1807 Richard Lock
2466 E. J. Pile
695 John Crow
224 William F. Bennett
3281 J. Williams
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764 John Davis
1522 John Hutchings
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GENTLEMEN,—I thank you for, and accept with pleasure, the very numerously signed requisition which you have presented to me again to become a Candidate for the representation of the electorate of the Glebe and Balmain. For your expressions of satisfaction and confidence, and your promises of cordial support, I am deeply grateful.
I have devoted whatever ability and energy I possessed to the discharge of my duties as your representative, and your recognition of my services will be an incentive to fresh exertions in furthering the interests of the united electorate, with which nearly the whole of my Parliamentary life has been identified.
My views on the leading questions of the day are so well known that it is unnecessary to refer to them in this address, but I shall take an opportunity during the ensuing week of meeting the electors both at the Glebe and Balmain.
Should I have the honour of re-election, I will strive in the future as I have done in the past so to act as to retain and merit the confidence and trust reposed in me.
I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,
G. WIGRAM ALLEN.
Strathmore, Glebe Point, October 12, 1877.

EAST SYDNEY ELECTION.—Electors, do not pledge your VOTES, I. J. JOSEPHSON, of Macquarie-street, will be brought forward as a CANDIDATE to represent you in Parliament.

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST SYDNEY.
GENTLEMEN,—I have the honour again to offer myself as a Candidate for representing you in Parliament.
I had intended to make a short visit to England, but I am prepared to postpone that for a time and place my services at your disposal to deal with some of those important questions affecting your welfare, which must come before Parliament immediately on its being called together.
My views on most of these questions are already known to you, as I have not hesitated in putting them forward either on the hustings, or in the Assembly, during the three years of which I have had the honour of being one of your representatives; but I will have an opportunity of explaining them prior to the day of election.
Yours faithfully,
ALEX. STUART.
Sydney, October 13, 1877.

MACINTOSH FOR EAST SYDNEY.—A MEETING of the friends and supporters of JOHN MACINTOSH will be held on MONDAY EVENING next, October 15, at Mr. W. Camb's Commercial Hotel, King-street, at 8 o'clock, to form committee and make arrangements to secure his re-election.
H. M'MASTER, } Hon.
W. MOIR, } Secs.

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST SYDNEY.—
GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer myself as a CANDIDATE for the honour of representing you in the new Parliament. My views on the leading questions of the day are as follows:—National, secular, compulsory, and free education; no immigration at the public expense; closing public-houses on Sundays and taking the power of granting publicans' licenses from the magistrates and giving it to the people. Those are a few of my views. I intend addressing you shortly, when I will be able to express my views more fully.
Your humble servant,
GEORGE PERRY.
No Surrender Cottage, 136, Foveaux-street, Surry Hills.

WEST SYDNEY.—Alderman O'CONNOR is a CANDIDATE.

ELECTORS.—SYDNEY WEST.—GENTLEMEN,—Professor HAMILTON will address you as a CANDIDATE for your suffrages, THIS EVENING, Temperance Hall. Chair to be taken at 8 prompt.

J. G. O'CONNOR FOR WEST SYDNEY.—A MEETING of Electors favourable to the candidature of J. G. O'CONNOR, at the approaching election for West Sydney, will be held at Cummin's Cosmopolitan Hotel, Erskine and Clarence streets, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock. GEORGE MATTHEWS, J. P. SWEENEY, Hon. Secs.

TO THE ELECTORS OF NEWTOWN.
GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for your suffrages at the ensuing Election, and will take an early opportunity of meeting you in the various portions of the Electorate.
Yours obediently,
S. C. BROWN.
Newtown, October 13, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF ARGYLE.—Gentlemen,—I am a CANDIDATE for your influence and votes, and a corrected "proof" of my address to you has been duly posted for insertion in two of the Goulburn Journals next week.
Your very obedient servant,
DANIEL P. M. HULBERT.
Bangor House, Manly, October 30, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF PADDINGTON.
GENTLEMEN,—The Legislative Assembly having been dissolved this day, I beg to inform you that I am again a CANDIDATE for your suffrages.
Having represented your constituency uninterruptedly since 1861, I desire to continue as your representative. My political opinions have undergone no change. It is, therefore, I think, unnecessary to trouble you by repeating them, more especially as Parliament has not been dissolved upon any public question.
I am, Gentlemen, your faithful servant,
JOHN SUTHERLAND.
Abercrombie-street, October 12, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE BOGAN ELECTORATE.
GENTLEMEN,—No one can regret more than I do that Parliament has been dissolved without the passing of an Electoral Act, dividing this large and populous electorate, and giving you, what you were strictly entitled to according to population and extent of country, five members to represent you.
I endeavoured in every way to get this Act passed, knowing its great importance to you; but I am sorry to say that from the great greed and lust for office displayed by members in the late Assembly, no useful legislation could be accomplished. You are still, therefore, in the unfortunate position of being only able to return one member to represent some 7500 electors, spread over a country as large as the United Kingdom.
Knowing as I do the work requisite to be done, and the utter impossibility of any one man giving satisfaction to such a large constituency, I have arrived at the conviction that it is better for me not to contest the present election. Should you, however, deem that my services would still be useful, and you should think proper to elect me, I will, as I have always done, use my best exertions to promote your interests.
It is over twenty-one years since our political relationship commenced, and it has remained uninterrupted during that long period. I am proud of the fact that I have retained the unbroken confidence of the same body of electors from the institution of Parliamentary government to the present time, and although on occasions my warmest friends may have dissented from some of my opinions, they have never withdrawn their support. However convinced of my own shortcomings, I cannot charge myself with a want of devotion to your interests, neither do I think I can be considered as having in any manner lowered the character of my constituents.
I regret that the arrangements which must necessarily be made to enable a new Parliament to meet before the close of the present year affords so short a period between the issue and the return of the writs, and consequently the conduct of the elections, that I am utterly precluded from visiting the many important sections of this very extensive electorate. I trust, however, that the kind consideration you have on former occasion extended to me will lead you to excuse what, under other circumstances, might have been considered a want of due respect to a constituency.
I have submitted this matter to your consideration, because the ensuing Legislative Assembly will have to deal with the important questions on which I have so strenuously endeavoured to advance your interests. Although the duration of this body will probably be short, it will have to deal with an Electoral Bill, an amendment of the existing Land Law, and possibly the question of Education; and on all these subjects I trust that you have approved of the course I pursued hitherto, and that you would consider me worthy of your confidence from the knowledge of the various subjects I must necessarily have acquired during my service as your representative.
Whatever determination you may arrive at on the questions I have submitted to you, I cannot close this address without expressing my grateful thanks for the uninterrupted confidence which has distinguished our long political connection, and my profound regret should any circumstances lead to its severance.
I am, Gentlemen, yours faithfully,
GEO. W. LORD.
Kirkston, Darlinghurst, October 15, [illegible]

JAMES GREENWOOD FOR EAST SYDNEY.—The GENERAL COMMITTEE will meet at THE TEMPERANCE HALL, on TUESDAY EVENING, at 7.30.
On WEDNESDAY, October 17th,
Mr. GREENWOOD will address the ELECTORS in THE TEMPERANCE HALL, at 7.30.
ALEX. OGILVIE, } Secretaries.
J. W. PIKE, }

MR. JAMES GREENWOOD FOR EAST SYDNEY.—ELECTORS willing to act on Mr. GREENWOOD'S COMMITTEE, or desirous of supporting his CANDIDATURE, will please enrol themselves at the Office of the Committee, 231, Park-street.
ALEX. OGILVIE, } Secretaries.
J. W. PIKE, }

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE HASTINGS.—GENTLEMEN,—In compliance with the flattering requisitions with which you have been pleased to favour me, I again have the honour to place my services at your disposal for your representation in Parliament. My address, IN EXTENSO, will be published in the local papers in a few days.
Yours faithfully,
R. B. SMITH.
King and Elizabeth streets, Sydney, October 13, 1877.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE LACHLAN.—GENTLEMEN,—The Legislative Assembly having been dissolved, I desire to intimate that I am a candidate for the honour of again representing your district in the ensuing Parliament.
It is now eight years since you first returned me as your representative, and the opinions which I then expressed, and which have since met your approval, I have in no way changed.
I am a strong supporter of the Public Schools Act. I am in favour of free trade and immigration, an amendment of the electoral law so as to give increased representation; and an amendment of the land law, so as to further encourage settlement, and remove some of the obstacles which have been found to exist.
There are many other matters which will occupy the attention of the next Parliament, but the one which I consider of importance will be that to amend the present land laws. On this and other subjects I hope to have the opportunity of explaining my views to you; but I may briefly say that I am in favour of a reduction of the improvements to ten shillings per acre, and such improvements to be by fencing, laying out the land in artificial grass, or permanent improvements of any other nature as to the conditional purchaser may be found most advantageous. The limitation of the quantity of land to be sold by auction, the question of the appointment of arbitrators to decide between the Government and the conditional purchaser, in the event of a dispute as to value of improvements or residence—the right to select adjoining land for the children of the conditional purchaser—the extension of time within which conditional purchases shall be cancelled or may be transferred—are subjects which I would be prepared to advocate.
I feel that during the period which I have been your representative I have not overlooked the wants of your important district, and I confidently appeal to you for a renewal of your confidence.
Your obedient servant,
JAMES WATSON.
Sydney, 13th October.

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BRITISH AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

LONDON, AUGUST 31.

The Parliamentary recess has now fairly begun, the "season" is over, and we are launched into a state of autumnal dulness, which I confess personally to be highly refreshing after the high pressure work of the previous six months. In the absence of special news at home, we have had to look abroad for our chief subjects of interest. These have been found in the suicidal determination of the French Government to prosecute M. Gambetta for his speech at Lille, and in the events connected with the Russo-Turkish war. The latter is a matter of deep concern, for, though our Government still stand by their determination to maintain a neutral policy, events may happen at any moment to shake them from their intention. I have already pointed out that the immediate provocation of British intervention will be the Russian occupation of Constantinople, but my last letter showed that the danger of such a step had been removed into the background, through the check which the Russian arms had received at Plevna. The chief result of that event appeared in the prospect of the campaign being limited to the north of the Balkans, for so long as that is the case there can be no chance of an occupation of the Turkish capital, and the consequent necessity of British intervention at Gallipoli to neutralise the effect of that occupation in the negotiations for peace. Since the Turkish victory of Plevna the Russians, save in some slight skirmishes, have acted on the defensive. Their line of advance forms the shape of a triangle. Its base rests on the Danube, and its left or eastern face stretches from Rustchuk, which is threatened, though not invested, by an army of 20,000 men. Onwards to the west of Rasgrad, again to the west of Eskijuma, past Osman Bazar to Tirnova, and the apex of the line is at the Shipka Pass. The right or western face of this triangle stretches from the Shipka to the Danube at Nicopolis, passing west of Selvi and east of Plevna. The head of the army was, a month ago, across the Balkans' operating from the Shipka in the Tundja Valley. I believe that when I last wrote, Suleiman Pasha had commenced his forward movement against this South Balkan force. At any rate the advance against General Gourko's forces took place immediately after the battle of Plevna. The enemy were cleared out of Roumelia and driven into the pass, and Sulieman at once began to force that route. From the 21st to the 26th one of the fiercest battles of modern times raged in and around the Shipka Pass. Sulieman had sent his right wing over the Balkans at a point to the east, and it had joined hands with Mehemet Ali, the new Commander-in-chief, near Osman Bazar. He aimed at pushing his left wing over the mountains and joining with Osman Pasha, who rested on Loftcha and Plevna. It was regarded from the first that his direct attack upon the Shipka was a military mistake, but the order had come from Constantinople, and Sulieman was obliged to carry it out. He had about 60,000 men under his disposition, of whom 40,000 were engaged in the week's continuous fighting. He failed in his object, though he has got such a hold upon one part of the pass that it is useless as an embouchure for the Russian armies into Roumelia, and he has lost 10,000 or 12,000 men in the adventure. The Russian defence was conducted in the first instance by not more than two or four regiments, and, at the most, there were never more than 15,000 or 17,000 men to be spared from other parts of the weakly defined triangle. At the present moment the advantage lays with the Russians. The Turks have a good footing in the pass, but they have ceased their attacks, and the current belief is that they are now going to do what they should have attempted in the first instance, namely turn the pass by crossing the Balkans at some western point, and assail the Russians at Gabrova or Tirnova. This could be done with the help of Osman Pasha, on the one hand, and Mehemet Ali, on the other. The attack on the Shipka has not been the only blunder of the Turks. Their inactivity during the past three weeks has given the Russians an opportunity of bringing up reinforcements. The latter, including a greater part of the Guard, numbering over 60,000 men, are now hurrying to the front, and by the second week in September Russia will have an available field force of more than 100,000 men. Turkey also has been strengthening her hands. She has given up the expedition to Soukham Kahle, on the eastern shores of the Black Sea, and 30,000 or 40,000 men from that expedition and from Batoum have been landed at Varna. Turkey has enormously improved by the deposition of Abdul Kerim, the sleepy old commander, and by the removal of Redif Pasha, the incompetent War Minister. The place of the latter was taken by Mahmoud Dahmed, a relation of the Sultan, but he too has been dismissed. One result of all these changes has been the admission of English officers into posts of active service. Thus we find Baker Pasha (ex-Colonel Valentine Baker) on the staff of Mehemet Ali, and taking a prominent part in resisting a Russian attack at Eskijuma. The victory at Plevna, and the removal of the corrupt and incompetent officers before named, have entirely altered the aspect of affairs for Turkey. It is, however, from a ... point of view a great misfortune that an attack was not made on both faces of the triangle immediately after the Plevna incident. A few more days, and it will be too late. This afternoon's news speaks of a movement from Eskijuma in the direction of Rasgrad; a Constantinople telegram says that the Turks have resumed the offensive on the whole line; and that a great battle is believed to be imminent.

Amidst the anxiety that has been caused by the renewed vigour of Turkey it is not surprising that Russia should have looked for help elsewhere, and it is here, in the field of diplomacy, that the danger lies to England departing from her neutrality. When the Czar's troops entered on this campaign, Russia declined to make a formal treaty with Prince ..., but the two Powers entered into a military convention. Though that convention has proved very galling to the Roumanians, and at one time threatened to end in disaster, the Russians have now mollified their ally, and the latter is about to operate from the Danube to the rear of Osman Pacha at Plevna. But this is not all. Russia desires an alliance with Servia. This fact alone would prove the ...wisdom of the present war. Here is mighty Russia in such a fix that she wants the help of two little States like Roumania and Servia. But Servia holds back unless Russia will enter into a formal alliance, not by military convention, but by treaty. It is in this proceeding that danger lies outside the present circle of combatants. Servia has no right to make a treaty, and the guaranteeing Powers may object to Russia recognizing that right. Under any circumstances, Servia will be entitled to no favour from the Powers. It was their action that saved her a year ago, when Turkey might have crushed her at Alexinatz; and having shielded her on that occasion, Servia ought now to listen to their pacific advice, for her conduct may spread this war much further than its present area. The Powers are already trying to restrain Servian interference, but I fear their pressure will come too late. Servia is intensely ambitious, and there are signs this morning that she will act with Russia, even without a treaty. If she can get one she will have it, if she cannot she will accept the Czar's word of honour, but she will have no more to do with the Slavophil Committees. A month or six weeks ago, it seemed as though Servian action would have provoked Austrian interference, but it is a diplomatic proverb, that Austria always recedes. Though she at one time showed a disposition to break from the triple alliance, she has renewed her fealty since the meeting of the Emperors at Ischl, and if she refrains from action, when Servia takes the field we may be certain that her interests have been assured to her. Her neutrality under the circumstances of Servian intervention will cause intense annoyance to the Hungarians, whose anti-Russian tendencies have been held in check by the promise that the hour of action would not arrive till Servia took the field. M. Kossuth has already taken up the cry to arm against their common enemy, Russia, and it will be difficult for Count Andrassy to keep the war party under control. The part that England may take in regard to Servia, is not easy to forecast. She will protest, in fact she has already protested, against Prince Milan's declaring war, for no cause whatever, against a Power that behaved to her last year with great magnanimity; and if Russia persists in leading the little State into a position of belligerency the relations of England and Russia will receive another wrench. Already the Servian troops are being marched to the frontier, even though no treaty or convention has yet been settled upon.

In Asia Minor the Russians have experienced another disaster, and it is the more serious considering that the invaders, having been once driven out of Armenia, were making a second advance after they had received reinforcements. Kars cannot now be taken—it is not even yet approached—before the winter, so that there must be a winter campaign in Asia as well as in Bulgaria. The strain of such a campaign to Russia will be enormous. If she receives another crushing defeat in the assault which has now begun at Eskijuma, supposing that to be the great battle for which we have all been waiting, it is exceedingly probable we may one of these mornings wake up and find that negotiations are on foot for peace. If Turkey is defeated she will fall back upon the Balkans. There will be no sueing for peace on her part till the Russians are overrunning Roumelia, and not then, unless Mehemet Ali has experienced some great disaster. Greece has not yet ventured into the campaign. She is preparing very actively, but for the present she is kept in check by the want of funds, and there is such an antagonism between her and Russia that it is not likely the latter Power will give her any pecuniary help, even if she were able to do so. Mr. Gladstone's letters to M. Negroponte, urging the Greeks to take up arms with Russia, has caused a great sensation here, and Mr. Gladstone is charged with a breach of the neutrality laws; but at present we know very little about this subject, as the letters are not yet published.

Contrary to the general expectation the rising of Parliament occurred about the usual time—the second week in August. Though the grouse had much to do with this result—for the shooting season always opens on the 12th—there was another cause, of which the public are not generally aware. A piece of information was conveyed to the Irish party that one of the Fenian prisoners would be shortly released. I do not say this communication was intended to be in the light of a promise or as a sop to the Irish party. A Tory Administration, with a majority of fifty, would of course shrink from such expedients. Nevertheless, Irish obstruction suddenly disappeared in the closing days of the session, and the Whigs do say that the opportune discovery that one of the Fenian convicts had behaved so well that he might be set at liberty had something to do with taming the fiery spirits from the sister Isle. But the latter, that is the most extreme of them, known as the "Obstructionists," had been already brought to grief. My last letter told you of the twenty-six hours' sitting over the South African Confederation Bill, and of the determination of the House not to be beaten by the Irish triad. For a few days it almost seemed as though the latter would pursue their tactics of defiance, and resist to the bitter end, even over the Appropriation Bill. A hint about the coming release of a Fenian prisoner, the attitude of Mr. Butt and the bulk of the Home Rulers, and some uncertainty as to how the Irish people would approve of the conduct of the "Obstructives," induced the latter to become more moderate, and when, in the last week of the session, the House got a chance of doing a bit of genuine work, it was astonishing how rapidly measures were disposed of. There was one brought in a few hours before the rising of Parliament which is especially deserving of attention. It proposed to deal with the Colorado beetle. One or two specimens of that insect had been caught in Liverpool and Plymouth, having evidently been landed from America, and the country was rapidly giving way to a panic. We knew that the invader had reached Germany, and was defying all efforts of extirpation. As head of the Privy Council, the Duke of Richmond therefore brought in a bill placing power in the hands of the police and the "local authorities" to deal with the insect wherever it could be found. The transmission of living specimens through the Post Office was especially aimed at. It was a fitting commentary to this hasty legislation to discover, as the Richmond magistrates have since done, that though the Act instructs the finder of a beetle to inform the "local authority" of his discovery, and to telegraph the fact to the Privy Council, and though the Act prohibited the keeping of a beetle, it does not state that it is to be killed. Further, we were assured at the meeting of the British Association that in a damp climate like this there is no fear of the invader establishing himself, and that if he does, he will discover many enemies in the numerous birds which this country possesses, as compared with the United States. Nevertheless, I am not alone in believing that Parliament did well in establishing a special machinery for this fearful pest, even though its details may show the effects of being hastily put together. If the Colorado beetle should present himself in New South Wales, the precedent of English legislation may be of some importance to those who direct your affairs.

The Speech from the Throne, enumerating what must by courtesy be called the achievements of the session, was like a dish of insipid cold meat. We can hardly recall such a barren result to so much talking. The University Bill was a second-class measure, intended to reform the management of the two great centres of education, but it dealt only with the very fringe of the questions which it professed to take in hand. The Prisons Bill was a source of annoyance and vexation to a class of people who are usually found on the side of the Government, and who are exceedingly useful in conducting the administration of justice,—I refer to the unpaid magistracy. By adopting a system of centralisation, and creating a vast amount of patronage under the provisions of this bill, the Government managed to evoke the wrath of the Radicals, as well as the anger of their own friends. And yet the object of the bill was a good one. It aimed at abolishing the smaller prisons, with their costly management, and using only the larger institutions wherein plenty of work was found for the staff of management. Had the Home Secretary limited his proposal to that particular object it would have passed without much opposition, but he went further, and embodied clauses within his measure which will be like so many fetters upon the actions of the magistracy. The Irish Judicature Bill was a necessary adjunct of the English scheme, but like the other two just named it was a *remanet* from the previous session. A County Courts Bill and a Sheriffs' Courts (Scotland) Bill were almost beneath contempt, yet these small fry found a place in the Royal Speech. The other chief Government Acts were a bill to raise five millions sterling for India, the South Africa Confederation Bill, and the measure intended to grapple with the Colorado beetle. The Government justified their shortcomings by pointing to the prominent importance which has been given to foreign affairs, by asserting, and very truly, that the country is not in a temper to encourage heroic legislation, but mainly by blaming the Irish "Obstructives." The first and the last of these are very feeble excuses, for the obstruction did not begin till late in the session, and foreign affairs were debated at an early stage when Parliament had little else to do. The plain truth is that the Government greatly mismanaged the order book. Though their programme was a slight one at the beginning of the year, their performances did not come up to a tithe of their promises, and this was owing in a large degree to the feebleness of Sir Stafford Northcote as a leader of the House. When matters proceed in an ordinary jog-trot sort of fashion, Sir Stafford is respectably competent, but the responsibility of conducting business is too much for his powers, when anything occurs, like the Obstructionist movement, out of the ordinary routine. The Government were also guilty of blunders of policy as well as of feebleness of purpose. The Burials Bill has been left as an open sore, and the Nonconformist rawness will increase with the knowledge that the Government will be bound to give way. The letter published this week by Canon Carter, proposing to surrender the Nonconformist claims, is one of the most important recommendations we have upon this subject since the Government withdrew their measure. The Colonial Marriages Bill will be also heard of next year, to prove another thorn in the side of the Ministry, and to show the unwisdom of the Government for refusing to indorse such a simple measure of justice. It has been a dull, a useless, and a blundering session. It has lowered the dignity of the House as an assembly of gentlemen, and it has left no mark of special merit on the statute book. The personal strength of the Government has been weakened partly through the transfer of the Premier to the House of Lords, partly through dissensions in the Cabinet on the subject of foreign policy, and in some degree through the increasing age of the Parliament. The Government majority is nevertheless as solid as ever, because, I suppose, there is a certain density about British Toryism which is an essence of its existence. To the Liberals the session brought undoubted consolation. Notwithstanding all their divisions they unquestionably fixed the Government to a definite line of neutrality in the present war. Ministers retreated from the threatening position which they had once taken up behind an opaque cloud which nobody could penetrate, called "British interests," and judging by the declarations of Lord Beaconsfield, a day or two before Parliament rose, by the affirmation of his sentiments in the Royal Speech, and by the utterances of the Chancellor of the Exchequer at Plymouth, it is evident that the Government are honest in their desire to keep out of this war. The present aspect of affairs seems to place "British interests" a long way in the back ground. The pacific attitude of the Government is largely due to the action of the Opposition, and the effect has reacted in a healthy degree upon the Liberals themselves. As the foreign policy of the Government became more distinctively neutral, the stronger grew the cohesion in the Liberal ranks. The attitude of Lord Hartington on the country franchise motion of Mr. Trevelyan united the whole party under one banner, and at a later stage of the session when Mr. Trevelyan assailed the Government, for the circumstances under which they had brought in the army warrant, the Liberal ranks again presented a solid front. The chief subject of difference among them as a party related to the Eastern question. The moderate men desired to leave the policy of the country in the hands of the Government. They knew that the Salisbury section of the Cabinet was working hard in the cause of neutrality, and preferred to leave the responsibility of action entirely in the hands of the Ministry. They were prompted to this by many causes. Among the chief were mainly the recognised principle that foreign policy ought always to be left to those in office; another motive arose out of the indisposition of the front bench men to be led by the extreme Radicals. The latter gained a great advantage when they induced Mr. Gladstone to adopt their policy in his famous resolutions, but those resolutions nearly rent the Liberals into two distinct camps, and though they had a better result than was expected in the earlier stages of their history, they left the party in a shattered condition. The subsequent adoption by the Government of a distinct declaration of neutrality brought unanimity to the Liberal ranks, and at the present moment the Liberal party are cordially disposed to put confidence in whatever line of action the Government may pursue. It will be seen, therefore, that though the session opened with many doubts, and much uncertainty in the policy of the Ministry, touching the Turkish question we now find the Government possessing, not fully perhaps, but very generally, the confidence of the nation. Before dismissing this subject of the attitude of the Opposition, I ought to say a few words about the Liberal leadership. The action of Mr. Gladstone, while it has done much good, has unquestionably been very embarrassing. The part which Lord Hartington has had to play has not only been intensely difficult, but I doubt whether even the Premier or the leader in the Commons has had a more arduous task. By disposition and by tradition, he is a moderate Liberal. The Radical wing, at all times not easy of control, has been the more unruly through the temporary success which it gained by securing the leadership of Mr. Gladstone as against Lord Hartington and the moderate men. But Lord Hartington, nevertheless, did his work very successfully. The country gave him its unquestionable support when he and Mr. Gladstone were in antagonism over the celebrated four resolutions. As the session advanced, Lord Hartington's strength undoubtedly increased. In many ways and in many little incidents, some of them impromptu, and some of them relating to questions of high policy, and in others pertaining to purely party tactics, he displayed the qualities of sound judgment, of excellent taste, and one might almost say of real statesmanship. So far as he is concerned the session has strengthened his position, and justified the party in selecting him as its leader. In one respect only is there a reasonable ground of complaint. Lord Hartington is not an energetic man; he is not a very close attendant to the business of the House, and in comparison with the keen watchfulness of Mr. Gladstone, there is a certain sluggishness which may certainly be aristocratic, and which may be well suited for a time of comparative rest, but which would not be regarded as satisfactory if it were necessary for the party to show a spirit of stirring activity. Nevertheless, Lord Hartington has shown so marked an improvement since he was elected to the leadership three years ago, and has risen to the responsibilities of his position with such an undoubted success, that a cautious man would hesitate to foretell that he may not be equal to any emergency that can arise. At any rate, for the present he has shown himself better suited to the post of leadership than any man on the front Opposition bench; for this, if for no other reason, that he least divides the party.

The men who have suffered most in their reputation during the session which has just closed, are the Home Rulers. The action of Messrs. Parnell, Biggar, Kirk, O'Connor, Power, O'Donnell, O'Gorman, and Nolan has split the Irish wing into two distinct camps. Mr. Butt still retains his leadership over the majority of the Irish party, but the minority represent men of action, and by the extraordinary tactics developed by three or four of their number they have risen to a point of unexpected importance in the scale of Irish politics. It will be for Ireland to decide during the recess whether the moderate tactics of Mr. Butt shall be regarded as the policy of the Irish party, or whether Mr. Parnell shall be recognised as the mouthpiece of Irish aspirations. The warfare between the two camps has already begun. The Home Rulers have held meetings in Dublin, in London, in the north of England, and in some of the Irish provincial towns. Though the Dublin meeting was large as to numbers and enthusiastic, the advocates of an active warfare as favoured by Mr. Parnell have gained no distinctive approval; and Mr. Butt I think will come out of this difficulty with increased strength. In fact, the leadership of any other man, and most assuredly the leadership of a man with extreme views, would bring ruin to an Irish programme. The temper of the House of Commons will tolerate no more obstruction such as we witnessed in the closing days of the session; and had it not been for a prevalent desire to hang up the old subject of procedure and order of business till next session, by which time the committee appointed for the purpose will have prepared its recommendations, the House would long ago have made short work of Messrs. Biggar and Parnell. In truth, members have already arrived at a determination that, if necessary, they will resort to extreme measures, even to the extent of suspension. Should the contest which has now begun between Mr. Butt and Mr. Parnell in the constituencies result, as I believe it will, not, perhaps, in a disapproval of Mr. Parnell's proceedings, but in a certain measure of approval of the more moderate course which Mr. Butt desires to take, the House will be strengthened in its determination to put a check upon the obstructive proceedings of a small handfull of notoriety hunters. One important lesson may be learnt from the attitude of the Irish party as a whole, and it is this that if ever the Liberals are to return to office they must do so on the strength of the Scotch and English vote. The Irish made themselves a party when they organised a machinery of leader and whips at the beginning of the present Parliament. That step has placed them out of the Liberal as well as the Conservative camps, and, in future, Liberals and Conservative alike, must determine to act independently of the Irish vote.

The letter of Mr. John Bright on the subject of Sir Charles Gavan Duffy's speech, to which I referred in my last correspondence, was published here about three weeks ago. It would be an exaggeration to say that it caused much sensation, though it led to a few of the newspapers dealing with it in their leader columns. None of the comments, so far as I have seen, called for any special remark, but the subject has some interest, inasmuch as it directed attention to a matter of considerable importance as affecting the Australian colonies. The impression implied, rather than expressed, was that, while Mr. Bright had let Sir Gavan Duffy down very easily, he had made ample compensation by the vigour of his sermon on the short-sighted economical policy of your neighbouring colony.

We have, however, had a very exciting controversy—exciting, that is, for a colonial subject—on the invasion of the Heathen Chinee into Australia. You will not, whether in the columns of the *Times*, the *Daily News*, the *Globe*, or the *Echo*, or in any other paper that dealt with this topic, recognise either a firm grasp of the subject, or an appreciation of the real difficulties of the situation. Some of the journals have approached this subject upon what they would doubtless consider humanitarian grounds. The Chinee may be a "man and a brother," but his ways are proverbially peculiar, and it is just these peculiarities which deprive him of the claims that belong to a colonising race. But I need not supply you with arguments on this point. Let me rather show the deficiencies of English journalists who have treated this question upon general principles, whether of humanity, of political economy, or of party. Some of the writers were evidently actuated with an intention to endorse the policy of the Colonial Secretary; others imagine that the laws of political economy laid down a hard and fast line which excluded exceptional legislation, while others again were shocked at the idea of special imposts to exclude an immigrant class. It is almost needless for me to say where the fact is already well known that the colonial objection to the Chinee is based upon circumstances which make this a peculiarly special subject. There is no resemblance between an ordinary colonist and the Chinese invader who makes a temporary occupation, holds aloof from the earlier settlers, without either consuming or exchanging commodities with them, who even imports his own food, and who, after a short time, having overrun the gold mines, goes home with the wealth of the colony in his pocket. This distinction has been forgotten by the English doctrinaires. It has not, however, been overlooked by Lord Carnarvon. As I pointed out in my last letter, the action of the Colonial Secretary in this matter must not be regarded as final, for I believe that special legislation will yet be approved, though probably not a legislation of the rough-and-ready type that was sent over for Lord Carnarvon's endorsement some months ago.

There was a circumstance of some interest in reference to the sources of English meat supply in the closing days of the session which will not escape the observation of many of your readers. A committee was appointed to deal with the subject of the cattle plague. Speaking generally, I may describe the recommendations of that committee as being in favour of a dead meat supply. The committee were impelled to this course by several considerations. One arose out of a certain amount of thoughtfulness—it was a Tory Committee—for the farming interest at home. Another influence was traceable to a feeling of panic which prevailed among cattle breeders on hearing of two or three cases of rinderpest within the metropolitan area. The successful importation of dead meat from America, which was so extensive last spring as to revolutionise the English market, was a third cause for the line pursued by this committee. Whether I am right or wrong in the motives I have suggested, the committee's proposals were not very gratifying to those by whom they were supposed to have been inspired; and now amidst the outcry which their protectionist policy has provoked throughout the country, another incident has occurred to divert attention from the intended object of the committee's recommendations and leads us to hope for relief even farther a-field than the United States. The American Railway Strike has seriously checked the importation of dead meat from the North American ports, but the arrival of the *Frigorifique*, with a cargo of dead meat in excellent condition from South America has revived the hopes of those who are interested in Australian produce, that some of your enterprising colonists will be equal to the occasion. I doubt not this subject will cause considerable interest among many of your readers.

But the wool sales form a subject of yet greater concern to New South Wales. I am happy to report, that they have turned out better than was anticipated. So far the competition has been brisk, and though the later sales have not shown much advance on the earlier ones they have exhibited a healthy firmness throughout. During the first week of the season the demand for scoured Australian and Cape wools was specially eager, and there was a slight subsequent reaction in favour of the buyer; but crossbreds, and particularly washed and scoured descriptions, were slightly stiffer. There are considerable orders, especially from America, for good light greasy fleeces; and the scarcity of these wools induces a keen competition, and for those parcels that are brought forward relatively high prices have been given. The English wool market has been characterised by firmness and steadiness. Continental dealers, both for English and foreign wool, have acted with great caution, and the entire trade so far has been mainly supported by English and American buyers.

Socially it has been a dull month. Though the whole of the home trade is exceedingly depressed, and everybody complains of the slackness of business, it is surprising how nearly everybody succeeds in sparing money for the annual month's holiday. This circumstance makes London especially empty at the present moment. A little fillip was given last week to the *debris* of society that remained in town through the unexpected arrival of the King of Denmark. He came very privately, as an ordinary first-class passenger, and but for the fact that the Princess of Wales met him at the railway station, his arrival might have escaped observation. The Prince of Wales did not meet his royal father-in-law, and the fact of his prolonged absence, first at Cowes and then at Ostend, gave point to a deal of scandalous gossip. At length the Prince turned up, but he only spent a couple of days with the King of Denmark, and he then went off again to his yacht at Cowes, leaving his wife to entertain her father, and to nurse his sick child. A week ago the King went home to Copenhagen and shortly afterwards the Princess was able to take her son to the Isle of Wight, where the whole family are now staying. A report has been current, since the King of Denmark's departure, that the Princess of Wales is about to go to Copenhagen "for an indefinite period." It is certainly not surprising that such a rumour should have got abroad, but I have good reason for stating that it is untrue. The Prince and Princess with all their little ones will be absent some time from London, for they are going to Scotland and to Sandringham. During their absence Marlborough House will be put into a state of thorough repair especially in the basement. The latter part of the building is to be overhauled, and the drainage works entirely renewed, for the recent visitation of fever to the Prince's nursery has been traced to the drains in Marlborough House, and not, as was supposed, to the well water at Sandringham. Since the rising of Parliament, the Queen has gone to Balmoral. It is said that she would have gone earlier, but she yielded to the counsel of her advisers and remained within easy distance of Westminster so long as Parliament was sitting.

The meeting of the British Association is regarded as the dullest ever held. None of the papers has produced the slightest interest outside the room wherein it was read, and no great theory has been developed to awaken activity among the men of science. Even the inaugural address of Dr. Allen Thomson contained no feature of special importance. The most remarkable aspect of it lay in the fact that the president gave a distinct pronunciation in favour of the theory of evolution. Dr. Allen Thomson's reputation rests on the caution of his reasoning; he rarely joins such bold speculators as Lyell, Huxley, Tyndall, or Hooker, and his acceptance of the new theory has been regarded as an index of the general consent.

The charge against detectives at Bow-street is causing almost as much interest as did the Tichborne case. It is a terrible exposure of the London detective force, for there is no reason to doubt the testimony of the witnesses even though they are convicted thieves. It is not at all improbable that the number of prisoners in the dock may be increased. Suspicion points very strongly to Inspector Clarke, one of the best known men in London, and the evidence against him is exceedingly strong. He will, however, be examined as a witness, and, if I am correctly informed, he will state that, though he had negotiations with the turf defrauders, he was only acting to obtain information. I fear this will be a lame explanation, but it is the only justification one can suggest for Clarke's not being put into the dock. I may mention in connection with this case some interesting particulars concerning the prisoner Benson that are not generally known. Some years ago when he was in London under the assumed title of the Count de Montagu, and representing himself as a landed proprietor from one of the inundated districts in France—a visit which cost him a year's imprisonment for defrauding the Lord Mayor—Benson moved in the highest circles of society. To my knowledge he dined with Earl Granville and the Earl of Malmesbury: he was a member of the St. James-street Club, and while on the books of that select community, a circumstance occurred which is now the talk of the town. A fellow member of the club was Captain Candy, familiarly nicknamed "Sugar Candy." One night at the club Captain Candy gave Benson a cheque which was written on a slip of paper instead of the usual bank form. This was for £40. and Benson at once added a cipher, making it £400. Having done this, he sent a commissionaire to Harvie Farquhar's bank for payment. It happened that Mr. Harvie Farquhar was a personal friend of Captain Candy, and something led him to write a note to the Captain to the following effect:—"Dear Sugar Candy,—Is your cheque for £400 all right? Yours truly, HARVIE." The bank messenger being out of the way, the note was given to the commissionaire, who had been sent by Benson, and who was in waiting. The note was taken to Benson, who, on receiving it, forged this reply:—"Dear Harvie,—Cheque is all right. Truly yours, SUGAR." The cheque was consequently cashed. It was not until some months afterwards, when the books were made up, that the fraud was discovered. I may add that Benson was at one time on the point of marrying the daughter of a well known London alderman, and this is not at all surprising when it is remembered that he is a man of gentlemanly address, speaking three or four languages fluently and with good accent, a good singer, and an excellent pianist. He and his companion Kurr are under the impression that they will obtain a mitigation of sentence as a *quid pro quo* for the disclosures they have made; but I have good grounds for believing that the hope is as illusory as their career has been infamous.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

SATURDAY.

THE following estates were surrendered:—

John Upton, of Windsor, farmer. Liabilities, £135 8s. 6d. Assets, £12. Mr. Sandeman, official assignee.

James Anderson, of Newcastle, late of Armidale, blacksmith. Liabilities, £91 1s. 2d. Assets, £195 1s. 6d. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

John Norman, of Grafton, labourer. Liabilities, £43 13s. Assets, £63. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

John Hunt, of Murrumburrah, labourer. Liabilities, £36 10s. Assets, £5. Mr. Sempill, official assignee.

Edwin Charles Ellis, of Albury, wheelwright and blacksmith. Liabilities, £1444 11s. 11d., of which £378 3s. is secured. Assets, £1151 17s. 4d. Mr. Humphery, official assignee.

Patrick Smith, of Lithgow, lately of Bald Hill, sawyer. Liabilities, £78 7s. 3d. Assets, £10. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Monday, October 15, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Agnes Fripp, special examination of insolvent and witnesses; A. J. S. Banx v. George Galvin, adjourned hearing on order nisi for compulsory sequestration; Rex Tin Mining Co., for order for payment of costs and further assessment of remuneration to official liquidator; Guiding Star G. M. Co., settlement of list of contributories.

Tuesday, October 16, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Certificate applications—Arthur Percy Manton, William Clarke Penton, William Gordon Brereton, John Thomas Gregg, John Purcell, John King, Christopher Brown, Michael Reidy, John Noble, Thomas Edward Ellis; James Stephen Gilmore, adjourned third; James Ford Walker Alldis, same; Moritz Britz, same; James Stanbury, same; James Dalby, adjourned first; Edward Brook, same; Agnes Fripp, same; Albert Morris Castle, adjourned special for proof of debts. Before the District Commissioner: At Casino, Thomas Hart, special examination of insolvent and a witness; at Wagga Wagga, Michael Nash, second; at Yass, Henry O'Neil, second.

Wednesday, October 17, at 11 a.m. Before the Chief Commissioner: John Kavanagh, third; William Tonkin, first; Charles William Marsh, same; David Dale, first and only; John Usher, first; William Kay, first and only; James Laing, first; James Dixon Little, same; James Alexander Thompson, special for proof of debts. Before the District Commissioner: at Carcoar, John Daniel, first and only; James Kelly, same; at Newcastle, William Cunningham, first and only; Thomas Jeffries, same.

Thursday, October 18, at 10 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Albert Morris Castle, motion for release of estate. Accounts and plans for confirmation: James Copeland, dividend 12s. 2 3-5d.; Owen M'Geary, 3 3-5d.; Walter Marshall Church (Church and Hills), amended plan dividend, 5s. 8d.; Golden Hill Quartz Mining Company, rehearing of claim of Francis Plunkett; same, motion to discharge order of 16th August last; same, for order for payment of further costs; General Moltke G. M. Co., for order for payment of costs and assessment of remuneration to official liquidator. Before the District Commissioner, at Newcastle: James Dalby, second.

Friday, October 19, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Samuel Percival, third; George Thomas Robinson, same; William Levesey Higgins, same; George Hutchinson, same; Robert Moore, first and only; William Eyles, first; George Henry Wood, same; Morton Mowbray, same. Before the District Commissioner, at Braidwood: Walter James Garnett, second; Robert Huff, first and only.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE Mr. Smart and the Police Magistrate.

Twelve persons were fined for drunkenness; and in addition to the sentence for drunkenness, Ellen Ryan and Kate Freeman were ordered to pay 60s. each, or to be imprisoned two months; and Jane Matthews to pay 40s., or to be imprisoned fourteen days, on charges of using obscene language.

John Mangan, 70, was sentenced to be imprisoned seven days, for wilfully obscene behaviour in York-street.

Mary Johnson was found drunk at an early hour yesterday morning, and was charged with being an idle and disorderly person. It was said that she had been eight times convicted of drunkenness since the 21st August. She said, that as she had been discharged from gaol on Thursday only, she could not be very idle. To be imprisoned three months.

James Toober, charged with indecent behaviour in Market-street, and with having assaulted the constable who, in the execution of his duty, took him into custody, pleaded guilty to both, and was sentenced for each to pay 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days.

Thomas Burrows was brought up on warrant charged with having neglected to comply with three orders of Court for the support of as many children, 17s. 6d. being due in respect of each. He admitted owing the money. To be imprisoned until the money shall have been paid.

John Brownjohn was brought before the Bench on remand from Gunnedah, where, on the 21st ultimo, he was apprehended on execution of a warrant issued from this Bench on the 20th August of last year, charged by Eliza Brownjohn, his wife, with having unlawfully deserted her, leaving her without means of support. He admitted the charge. His wife asked for £1 per week, for which amount he consented that an order should be made, and it was made.

THE ROSTER.—Monday: Messrs. Murphy, Spence, Pearce, Hunt, Davies, Alexander, Bull, Palmer, Harris, M'Lean, Watkins, R. C. Murray, and Graham. Tuesday: Messrs. Kippax, Hughes, Charlton, Evans, Hezlet, Linsley, Coling, Woods, Bailey, Helsham, Calvert, Perdrian, Mills, Hyam, Forsyth, and Lipman. Wednesday: Messrs. Chapman, Curran, Guy, Solomon, Gorus, M'Beath, Dixon, Thorne, and Moore. Thursday: Messrs. Thompson, Smithers, Vickery, Lester, Alexander, R. Murray, Waugh, Beaumont, Connell, Dickinson, and Mullins. Friday: Messrs. Hill, Oatley, Pinhey, Neale, Jolly, Reading, Holberow, Ridge, Pope, and Moses. Saturday: Messrs. Cunninghame and Smart.

WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

BEFORE the Water Police Magistrate, and Messrs. Hunt, Greville, Taylor, and Edwards.

William Johnson, for stealing three pieces of timber, valued at 1s., was ordered to pay a fine of 1s., or to be imprisoned till the rising of the Court.

Two boys, named White, were brought up for protection, and afterwards handed over to the charge of their father.

Catherine Smith, who had on the previous day been fined for drunkenness, was brought up on remand, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment for having made use of obscene language.

ROSTER.—Monday, October 15: Messrs. Lester, Holborow, MacMahon, Gray, Marks, Goodridge, and Brodribb. Tuesday: Messrs. Hunt, Reading, Smith, Paxton, Neale, Ridge, Purves, and Geddes. Wednesday: Messrs. Josephson, Roseby, Smart, Brown, Senior, Palmer, and Edwards. Thursday: Messrs. Oatley, Raphael, Chariton, Solomon, Bird, M'Beath, Davis, Murray, Harris, and Gray. Friday: Messrs. Lester, Charlton, MacMahon, Smart, Manning, Goodridge, and Moreau. Saturday: Messrs. Voss, Taylor, Hunt, Greville, and Edwards.

ELECTION FOR NEWCASTLE.

(*From the Pilot.*)

ON Friday, Dr. Bowker, candidate for the representation of the city in Parliament, met a large number of electors at the Great Northern Hotel. It had been intended that the doctor should address the electors from the balcony, but the evening being inclement he spoke in the large room on the ground floor. Mr. C. F. Stokes was called to the chair, and briefly introduced the doctor to his audience.

Dr. Bowker said that when Mr. Lloyd accepted office he was asked to oppose him; he did not do so, considering it invidious to oppose a Minister, but he resolved to come forward if again asked. He would be proud to represent Newcastle, where he lived so long, had worked for the people, and had frequently given his skill and experience. Had he been rapacious, he might have been rich. But the chief thing was, was he the proper man to represent them? He had a claim upon them. When he before represented Newcastle, he thought manhood suffrage should obtain, and vote by ballot. He also wanted plurality of votes, but that he could not obtain. He never regretted what he had done in this respect. Manhood suffrage was a great education, and free institutions had done everything for England. Having done this, he did not feel he was presumptuous in seeking their suffrages. There was a full exchequer; Newcastle should have a share, and it wanted a water supply. There was cause in not having one. The city exported so much, that it had a great claim. He had a great interest in the place, and if returned, would watch the interests of the working man. He wanted their wages to keep up for his property consisted of houses, and if wages went down, houses went down, because they were built cheaper, and so he went down. Then there was a monopoly, which was the mother of mischief, in the coal trimming. It required altering, and as a shipowner he would try to alter it. The preferential turns of steamers required modification, he believed, after diligent inquiry, and if the steamers ran out sailing vessels they would have to delay, and then the price would be increased to the consumer. Then the demand would be lessened, and the trade would suffer. Another thing was, steamers were here to-day and gone to-morrow, and it would be against the interests of the town for the sailing vessels to be run off. Then there was the matter of sewerage. Newcastle was in a terrible state, and, as a medical man, this matter would have his attention. It had been said that he only wanted to enter Parliament for the Medical Bill, but he never was a one-measure man. He believed Newcastle would be a second Liverpool or Manchester. But it wanted local representation, and he was a local man. He would like a political committee to be formed in the city, to post its members up as to what was required. If he were returned, he would like there to be one. It would give every member of it a political education. Newcastle would have share of the commerce of New South Wales, and its share should be encouraged. The whole of the traffic should not be taken to Sydney. Nothing on earth could be so absurd, as for Newcastle to be represented by any one but a free-trader. It was an absurdity that one country should produce one thing, and another another, with no free interchange. With protection, not a shilling more would be received for coal, and the miners would pay more for all they had to buy. One of his qualifications was that he was a brief speaker.

In reply to questions, Dr. Bowker said he was for trunk lines of railways. Much money might be wasted in branch lines that could be more profitably expended elsewhere. He had opposed the Illawarra railway, believing it to be a job. They might as well have asked for coal pits to be sunk for them at the public expense. He was for a wise system of immigration. Capital, which employed labour, was the savings of labour, and the more profitable labour was, the more capital there would be. He would like agricultural areas laid out near to a market for the produce. Then men with a little money would emigrate, they would take up land, and they would employ labour. Increase the productive labour of the colony, and you would increase its riches, and make it better for all. He recollected years ago when the population was thin and wages low. Now, population was large, and wages higher. He believed in education, and it would help to make New South Wales what he believed it to be—the finest country in the world. The necessity for education should be a motive for it. Let people see the necessity for it. In respect to secular and denominational education, he thought every one who paid his money should have his choice. If there were enough people there might be a denominational school; if not, the education should be secular. The grandest legacy a father could leave his children was a religious education, and if people chose to pay for it they ought to have it. These were his views. The duty of a member was to represent the views of his constituents; but there were many views, and so the representative should exercise his own discretion. Democracy required paid members—if pushed to extremes. A working man could not enter Parliament unless his expenses were paid. But things should not be pushed to extremes. Burke, one of the greatest of Irish orators, said—"All government—indeed every human benefit and enjoyment, every virtue, and every prudent act—is founded on compromise." On a temple in Athens it was written "Nothing to extremes." ... membership would push matters to extremes. A rail... from Maitland to Sydney might prevent sea sickness, ... might make them sick otherwise. It would damage ... Newcastle, and should be opposed. It would pass through ... poor country. He thought Newcastle should have ... members, and its boundaries be increased. He was ... railway companies in this country would be ... A report had been spread that he would resign ... of Mr. Lloyd. He would pit his character against ... treachery to his supporters. He looked upon this ... an important one. He was asking for a verdict ... had done for Newcastle. He had never swerved ... path of honour and duty, and his success be ... a guarantee of his capacity. He should ... their suffrages if they could give these.

... asked for an expression of opinion that Dr. ... and proper person to represent them in ... show of hands was entirely in favour of ... being held up against him.

Mr. Stokes as... Bowker was a fit ... Parliament. Th... the doctor—none ...

Mr. Brooks ask... d why Dr. Bowker, who had proposed Mr. Lloyd, was now ... opposed to him.

Dr. Bowker said that when he first proposed Mr. Lloyd he was a candidate, a... Mr. Lloyd then said if ever Dr. Bowker came forward he would not oppose him. He had not the same opinion of ... Mr. Lloyd as he had, in respect to his truthfulness, and had not liked his career in Parliament. It would not add to Mr. Lloyd's dignity or reputation.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—ITS UNEQUALLED EFFICACY IN CONSUMPTION AND WASTING DISEASES. —Dr. Henry Hanks, author of "Consumption: its Treatment and Curability," writes:—"The superior efficacy of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil over the pale cod liver oil has proved, in my experience, unequivocal. Patients who have persisted for several months in the use of the latter, with scarcely any perceptible improvement, have, after a trial of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil, acquired such fatness, and those distressing symptoms accompanying emaciation have so rapidly subsided, that I have been induced to confide in its reputed remedial powers, and consequently to advise its substitution for the Pale Cod Liver Oil." Mr. Benjamin Clarke, M.R.C.S., F.L.S., author of "Notes and Suggestions on Cod Liver Oil and its Uses," writes:—"The effect of the pale oil ... in the circulation is so feebly marked as not to be perceptible; ... that in some cases of extreme debility, the patient, from the slowness of its action, is in danger of sinking from exhaustion, or the disease, as in consumption, may become incurable from protraction. My inference agrees with the remark that Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Oil effects a cure in half the time that the pale oil does." Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil is sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists, druggists and storekeepers. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London. Agents at Sydney, Elliott, Brothers.—ADV.

SCOUNDRELISM.—Irresponsible speculators are ... again at work endeavouring to deceive the public with imported ... and domestic unmedicated drams, by representing them to be the same as or equal to UDOLPHO WOLFE'S SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS. The real article bears on its label the signature and address of the proprietor, and its name is embossed on the bottle. Ask for it and take no other.—ADV.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—OCTOBER 14.

Avoca (s.), 1482 tons, Captain Pockley, from Melbourne 12th instant. Passengers—From Southampton: Messrs. A. Brodziak, J. T. Warren. From Venice: Mons. De Gimel, Madame De Gimel, Mr. A. O'Sullivan. From Bombay: Mrs. E. James. From Madras: Private Manix. From Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. M'Gibbon, 2 infants and servant, Messrs. R. Weiner, W. J. Young, C. Troedel, W. Howell, J. R. Hocknell, J. Gibson, Cadden, Stenbridge, F. L. Smyth, Bothwick, Manson. H. Moore, agent.

Blackbird (s.), 581 tons, Captain Lowrie, from Melbourne 10th instant. Passengers—35 in the steerage. Cowlishaw, Brothers, agents.

Alexandra (s.), 500 tons, Captain Paddle, from Melbourne 11th instant. Passengers—Miss Stott, Mrs. Clarke and infant, Mrs. Vine Hall and child, Messrs. R. Tagg, Paterson, A. Gee, Levy, Ecuon, Steel, C. Blackett, A. Brook, J. C. Langdon, H. Mitchell, Masters Clark, Signor Bartolomeotti, and 35 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), 700 tons, Captain Saunders, from Levuka 6th instant. Passengers—Lady Nickolson, Mrs. Garrick, servant, and 2 children, Mrs. Hilton, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Williams and 2 children, Messrs. Stewart, George Turner, Brodziak, W. Sturt and servant, Hilton, Sahl, Heyda. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Wakatipu (s.), 1000 tons, Captain Cameron, from Wellington 9th instant. Passengers—Misses Heale (2), Miss Hoggard, Miss Faber, Miss Garrit, Mrs. Greig, Mrs. Heale, Mrs. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Gilligan, Rev. W. Slatyer, Messrs. H. J. Walters, A. J. Smith, F. Macfarlane, J. Paxton, J. R. May, Wright, Mason, Warrell, Bakewell, F. Johnstone, Jamieson, Master Garrit, and 21 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Monaro (s.), 500 tons, Captain Sheed, from Twofold Bay 12th instant. Passengers—Mrs. M'Nevin, Mrs. Thompson, Misses Carey, Anderson, Brown, and Miller, Messrs. Child, Haigh, Maher, Anderson, Wright, J. Brettain, W. Brettain, T. Brettain, Collins, and 6 in the steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Fiona (s.), 729 tons, Captain Carphy, from Clarence River 13th instant. C. S. Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—OCTOBER 13.

City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.
Boomerang (s.), for Rockhampton.
Edina (s.), for Brisbane.

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Gladstone, for London.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—OCTOBER 15.

Wentworth (s.), for Brisbane.

CLEARANCES.—OCTOBER 13.

Edina (s.), 300 tons, Captain South, for Brisbane and Maryborough. Passengers—Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Tummel, Miss Davis, Messrs. P. Aland, W. J. Hall, C. Goldie, G. Hurst, T. Whelan, B. Smith, H. Lynch, and 17 in the steerage.

Boomerang (s.), 655 tons, Captain Burrell, for Rockhampton. Passengers—Mrs. T. T. Foot, Miss Roby, Messrs. T. T. Foot, W. H. Morse, and 7 in the steerage.

City of Adelaide (s.), 1211 tons, Captain D. Walker, for Melbourne. Passengers—Miss B. Anderson, Mrs. J. Jackson and 4 children, Mrs. A. Brown, Miss Hammond, Miss B. M. Tracey, Mrs. Hick, Misses Mathers (2), Misses Ford (2), Mrs. F. J. Boothman, Mrs. C. Powell, Mrs. Findlay, Miss Findlay, Miss Williams, Mrs. Hall, Messrs. K. E. Brodribb, J. Baker, J. Jackson, E. Butler, A. Brown, S. W. Cooke, S. P. Winter, P. E. Reynolds, H. C. Johnson, W. Deedz, J. Dargin, E. H. Lascelles, T. Williams, Hick, Van Lack, W. H. Miskin, R. H. Adams, F. W. Marks, J. B. Sandilands, H. W. Brock, T. Brown, sen., T. Brown, jun., T. Lamond, C. Powell, T. Tyson, Ivory, Roberts, L. Lee, and 37 in the steerage.

Jessie Matilda, schooner, 84 tons, Captain Power, for Port Mackay, via Newcastle.

John Knox, barque, 201 tons, Captain Davis, for Lyttelton.

COASTERS INWARDS.—OCTOBER 13.

Eagle (s.), Lady Emma, Venture, Northern Light, from Newcastle, with 705 tons coal; Merksworth (s.), from Bulli, 310 tons coal; Fanny Thornton, from Tweed River, with 47,000 feet cedar; Atalanta, from Ballina, with 36,000 feet pine, and 40 bags maize; Novelty, from Brisbane Water, with 18,000 feet timber; Emily Ann, from Camden Haven, with 20,000 feet pine; Violet, from Clyde River, with 21,000 feet timber; Margaret Jane, from Macleay River, with 900 bags maize, and 1 coop fowls; Civility (s.), from Wollongong, 280 tons coal; Collaroy (s.), from Hunter River, with 90 bales wool, 440 bags tin ore, 9 bundles sheepskins, 123 bales hay, 70 boxes soap, 32 cases preserved meat, 11 hides, 4 coops poultry, 120 sheep, 1 cow, 10 hogsheads 10 casks colonial wine, 60 bags oysters, and sundries; Kembla (s.), from Newcastle, with 5 bales skins, 25 bales wool, 5 casks tallow, 60 hides, 2 horses, 10 baskets prawns, and sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—OCTOBER 13.

Eagle (s.), Atlantic, Eva, Lady Emma, Venture, Northern Light, for Newcastle; Atalanta, for Richmond River; Merksworth (s.), for Bulli; Juno, Violet, for Clyde River; Novelty, for Brisbane Water; Emily Ann, for Camden Haven; Margaret Jane, for Port Macquarie; Civility (s.), for Wollongong.

IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 14.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Alexandra (s.), from Melbourne: 350 cases glucose, 40 boxes soap, 292 bags rice, 80 bundles empty bags, 14 plates iron, 17 bundles sheet iron, 18 bundles iron wire, 14 cases floorcloth, 15 cases biscuits, 7 packages tobacco, 27 coils rope, 10 cases wine, and sundries; also, about 40 tons of northern cargo.

Waikatipu (s.), from New Zealand: 25 cases hams and bacon, 88 kegs butter, 9 kegs lard, 12 tons scrap iron, 12 sacks linseed, 15 sacks barley meal, 20 bags pearl barley, 65 bales wool, 37 cases cheese, 1198 sacks potatoes, and sundries.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Fiji: 1552 mats sugar, 75 bags 11,310 coconuts, 1 case cigars, 13 cases fruit, 1 case plants, 312 bunches bananas, 2 boxes coin, 1 case arrowroot, 564 bags copra, 18 bags peanuts.

Blackbird (s.), from Melbourne: 100 cases brandy, 589 lengths iron pipes, 325 bundles fencing wire, 25 cases beer, 260 pieces lumber, 23 packages hardware, 40 bags potatoes, 386 boxes candles, 6 cases bolts, 180 cases stout.

Ex mail steamer Assam: 3 cases containing gold and silver jewellery and watches, dental and optical goods, fans, &c.—Leopold Saunders.

EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 12.

Elamang (s.), for Brisbane: 99 packages wines and spirits, 10 cases painkiller, 163 cases jam, 6 packages tobacco and cigars, 25 cases cheese, 7 cases biscuits, 480 boxes candles, 69 packages tea, 21 pockets sugar, 11 bags pepper, 16 bales woolpacks, 27 cases sewing-machines, 300 cases kerosene oil, 33 bales hair, 60 lengths pipe, 8 cases galvanized iron, 5 cases mustard, 7 cases fish, 2 bags malt, 1 bale bags, 5 cases oil, 40 bags rice, 15 bags salt, 5 cases salmon, 5 cases herrings, 10 cases bottled fruit, 3 bales hops, 5 bales paper, 32 iron moulds, 75 kegs butter, 20 bags potatoes, 41 sacks flour, 16 cart boxes and arms, 40 cases maizena, 606 bags maize, 30 bundles brooms, 31 cases matches, 15 cases chairs, 4 coils belting, 20 sacks seed, 29 bales hay, 10 cases milk, 8 cases acid, 6 cases books, 2 drums ink, 159 bundles, 86 bars, and 27 plates iron, 6 bars steel, 1 phaeton, 1 buggy, 361 cases fruit, and sundries.

OCTOBER 13.

Jessie Matilda, schooner, for Port Mackay, via Newcastle; in ballast.

John Knox, barque, for Lyttelton: 150 shafts, 66 naves, 3 pairs trucks, 961 spokes, 2200 felloes, 26 piles, 322 pieces timber, 20 drays.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

For NOUMEA.—By the Taiaroa (s.), this day, at 2 p.m.; and by the Gunga (s.), at 3 p.m.

For BRISBANE.—By the Corea, this day, at 3 p.m.

For MELBOURNE.—By the Somerset (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.; by the Macedon (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.; and by the Wotonga (s.), at 3.30 p.m.

For BRISBANE AND ALL NORTHERN PORTS.—By the Wentworth (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.

For MACLEAY RIVER.—By the Agnes Irving (s.), this day, at 3 p.m.

For AUCKLAND AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.—By the Hero (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.

For GRAFTON.—By the City of Grafton (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.

ROYAL MAIL NOTICE.—VIA AUCKLAND, HONOLULU, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

The mails by the R. M. S. City of New York will close at the General Post Office, on Friday, the 19th October, as follows:—

Registered letters at noon.
Unregistered letters at 1 p.m.
Newspapers, books, and packets, at noon.

The rates of postage upon letters to Honolulu, United States of America, and the United Kingdom are 6d. per ½-oz.

Full information as to rates of postage to all places can be ascertained at the Inquiry Office, General Post Office, and at the various suburban and country offices.

LATE LETTERS.

Letters for the United Kingdom only will be received up to 2 p.m. on payment of a fee of 6d.

IRON RECEIVERS.

Letters may be posted in the iron pillar letter receivers up to noon; newspapers may be posted in the newspaper receivers up to 10 a.m. on the 19th instant.

All letters, &c., not otherwise marked will be forwarded by the City of New York.

General Post Office, Sydney, 11th October, 1877.

CUSTOM HOUSE.—Entered Outwards, October 13: Somerset (s.), 651 tons, Captain Torrance, for Melbourne; Corea (s.), ... tons, Captain M'Clemens, for Cooktown and Townsville.

The ship County of Anglesea has moved from Dibbs' to ... Circular wharf on the western side.

Additional passenger per Gladstone, for London:—J. A. H... ell.

The Blackbird (s.) left Port Phillip Heads at 9 a.m. 10th instant, encountered strong S.E. winds and high sea to Wilson's Promontory, thence to Gabo Island strong E.N.E. winds ... Montagu Island, and moderate north winds from ... to arrival, and strong southerly current.

The Union Company of New Zealand's steamer W... arrived in harbour yesterday, at 10 a.m. She left Port Chalmers at 5.40 p.m. on the 6th instant, and arrived at Lyttelton on the following morning at 8.30; left at 4 p.m. on the 8th, and arrived at Wellington at 8 a.m. on the 9th; fine weather was experienced along the coast; left for Sydney at 1.20 p.m. same day; met with fresh N.W. breeze through Cook Strait, which gave place to a strong westerly wind after passing Stephen's Island at 9 same night, wind ... led to the eastward on the 11th, and held good to arrival, a ... above.

The P. and O. Co.'s branch mail steamer ... rona cleared Port Phillip Heads on the 12th, at 8.15 a.m., round Wilson's Promontory 5.45 p.m. same day, passed Gabo Island ... on the 13th at 2 p.m., Cape St. George on the 14th at 6.40 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 3.10 p.m. She experienced ... derate S.E. winds and fine weather to Wilson's Promontory, ... ence to arrival strong N.E. winds and fine weather. The A... brings 64 bags mails and 354 overland packages.

The Alexandra (s.) left Sandridge ... on October 11, at 2.20 p.m., and cleared Port Phillip Heads ... at 5.30 same day; passed Wilson's Promontory at 6.45 a.m. on October 12; rounded Gabo Island on October 13, at 9 a.m.; passed Cape St. George at 4 a.m. on October 14, arrived at Sydney Heads at 2 p.m., and made fast to Company's wharf at 3 p.m. ... date. Experienced fresh head winds and head sea to Gabo ... and, then fresh head winds to Kiama; thence to arrival, light ... riable winds and fine weather.

The A. S. N. Co.'s steamer Ly-ee-Moon, Captain Saunders, reports leaving Levuka at 4 a.m. October 6th, cleared the reef at 5.20 same date; 6 p.m. 9th, spoke the American three-masted schooner W. L. Beebe, from San Francisco to Sydney, in latitude 25 4 S., longitude 169 26 E. ... October 12th, 2 p.m., passed Howe's Island; 1 a.m. 14th, entered Sydney Heads; 1.30, anchored at Fort Denison. She experienced strong head winds and heavy sea to Howe's Island, from thence to Sydney variable winds and moderate weather.

The Monaro (s.), from Twofold Bay, left Eden at 9.30 a.m. on the 12th, arrived at Merimbula and left at 1 p.m. on the 13th, called at Tathra and left at 4 p.m. same day, called at Wollongong 8.30 p.m. on ... th, arrived at the Company's wharf at 9.40 p.m. Northerly winds and fine weather throughout have prevailed.

The Fiona (s.), from the Clarence, crossed the bar on Saturday October 13 at 7.10 a.m., and arrived in Sydney on Sunday, the 14th at 1.35 p.m. She experienced moderate S. winds from the Clarence to Seal Rocks, thence light W. and N.W. winds, with fine clear weather. Cargo: 4850 sacks sugar, 120 hogsheads rum, 3 hogsheads ... up, and sundries.

STEAMERS FOR PORT JACKSON.—A cablegram has been received from Mr. Car..., now in London, to the effect that he has concluded with Tyne firm for the construction of two paddle steamers for the Port Jackson Steam Company, to be employed in the Manly ... passenger service. They are to be up to a speed of 15 knots.

NEWCASTLE.

ARRIVALS.

October 11.—Woodville, barque, M'Diarmid, from Timaru.
October 12.—Isabella, brig, Scott, from Melbourne; Amana, ship, Beckett, from Sydney.

DEPARTURES.

October 12.—Robin Hood, brig, Paton, for Wellington, with 500 tons coal; Hopeful, barque, Luby, for Bluff Harbour, with 490 tons coal; Queen Emma, barque, Leneven, for Geelong, with 406 tons coal; Lady Belmore, brig, Taylor, for Launceston, with 350 tons coal; Nonpareil, barque, Leddra, for Geelong, with 600 tons coal; Ocean Chief, barque, Cook, for Shanghai, with 1680 tons coal; Speedwell, barque, Nixon, for Adelaide, with 460 tons coal; Frederic Bassil, barque, Best, for Dunedin, with 470 tons coal, 40 tons coke.

COASTERS INWARDS.

October 12.—Colonist, Tasmania, and Lalla Rookh, from Sydney.

ENGLISH SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

July—25, Opana, from Lyttelton; Essex, from Melbourne; Melanope, from Otago; 26, Cardigan Castle, from Melbourne; Auckland, from Canterbury; Brucklay Castle, from Sydney; 27, Hurunui, May Queen, Rakaia, from New Zealand; Duke of Sutherland, from Sydney; Scottish Hero, from Rockhampton; 28, Loch Urr, Adamant, Glenora, from New Zealand; 31, Abbey Holm, from Brisbane. August.—10, Windsor Castle, from Sydney; 18, Wellington, from Canterbury; 14, Trafalgar, from Sydney; 19, Strathdon, from Sydney; 20, City of Santiago, from Melbourne.

DEPARTURES.

FROM LONDON.

FOR SYDNEY.—July 25, Damascus; August 1, Star of India; 5, Cicero; 9, Vernon; 10, Ann Duthie; 12, Cape Verde; 14, Darling Downs; 16, La Hogue.

The Loch Urr, Murdoch, arrived in the river from Auckland, N. Z., reports:—Sailed from Auckland 17th April. The following night fire broke out in the fore compartment. Cut main deck open in several places, and, with the aid of the fire-pump, got the fire under after three hours' hard pumping. After the smoke cleared away, found a quantity of sails and cordage had been burnt to ashes, also that the ceiling of the ship and deck were badly scorched, and that a quantity of cargo was stained underneath. Had very heavy weather from Auckland to Cape Horn. May 8, latitude 53 S., longitude 101·25 W., had a tremendous hurricane from the S. W., which blew away all canvas, and lasted for ten hours with terrific force, ship lying quite helpless, with upper dead-eyes under water. Washed away the rails, stove in house-doors, and took everything movable over board. June 2, Captain C. Moorsom died.

(BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.)

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: October 13, Hydaspes, from London. Departures: October 13, Wressel Castle, for Newcastle; Moravian, for London; You Yangs (s.), for Sydney; October 13, Lucille, for San Francisco.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: October 10, Odalisk, from Newcastle. Departure: October 12, Niagara, for Sydney.

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: October 12, Llewellyn (s.), Leichardt (s.), from Northern ports. Departures: October 12, Balclutha (s.), for Maryborough.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
October 13.	8.30 a.m. Noon. 5 p.m.	S. S.E. S.E.	Fine. Ditto. Ditto.
October 14.	8.30 a.m. Noon. 5 p.m.	N. N.E. N.E.	Fine. Ditto. Ditto.

High water at Fort Denison, October 15.—1.47 a.m.; 2.19 p.m.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—THE MAYOR WILL be in attendance at the Town Hall, Sydney, from 10 a.m. till 4 p.m., to receive subscriptions in aid of the above fund. JAMES MERRIMAN.

PACIFIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. Head Office, Pitt-street, Sydney.—Fire and Marine Risks of every description accepted at current rates, including risks on wool in sheds and in transit to port of shipment. E. L. MONTEFIORE, Manager. October 8, 1877.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE Company.—This company, having increased their working limits, are prepared to grant insurance upon any Approved Risk to the extent of £10,000. In consequence of the above arrangement the Company are now willing to accept further amounts upon the various Bonded Stores in Sydney at the lowest current rates. A. STANGER LEATHES, Resident Secretary. Pitt-street, 31st July, 1877.

STANDARD FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY of New Zealand.—Capital, £1,000,000. Offices, 71, Pitt-street.—Every description of Fire and Marine insurance effected at lowest current rates. A. L. PARK, Agent.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY (FIRE).—CAPITAL £250,000. Reserves, £50,000.—A Colonial Proprietary, with unlimited liability.

WESTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—Spring Exhibition, St. John's Schoolroom, Ashfield, on Wednesday and Thursday, 24th and 25th instant. Entries for exhibits received not later than 18th instant. For schedule of prizes and forms of entry, &c., apply to A. J. WATT, ... 534, George-street. N.B.—Competition for Ladies' Bouquet open to wives and daughters of members.

THE FOOTBALL SEASON, WITH ITS DELIGHTS AND dangers, now draws to a close, and the quie... yet more skilful game, cricket, succeeds. Prospects of the season, coming events, record and criticism on play, with all ... is interesting, will be found in the SYDNEY MAIL under the pictorial heading, "Cricket." As this will be a true record of the season, active cricketers and those who enjoy and support the game may be furnished with the SYDNEY MAIL direct from the office at 2s 6d per quarter, to residents in the country, or by agents in the city and suburbs. Office—Hunter-street, Sydney.

GOODLET AND SMITH, TIMBER AND GALVANIZED iron merchants, 483, George-street.

EYE, EAR, THROAT.—SPECIALIST.—DR. SCHWARZBACH, 46, Wynyard-square North. Hour, 10 to 1.

AVIS.—MR. GUSTAVUS GABRI..., DENTIST, WILL, early in November, remove to the commodious premises, No. 6, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square.

CLAIRVOYANT AND PHYSICIAN.—MADAME VON HALLE, 320, George-street.

DENTISTRY, 1877.—THE PHILADELPHIA CENTENNIAL Exhibition First Prize Medal and Certificate have been gained against all competition by Mr. JOHN SPENCER, 8, Wynyard-square, for excellence of exhibit and workmanship in Mechanical Dentistry.

MR. W. H. RAWORTH'S FINE ART DISTRIBUTION OF his Water-colour Paintings will take place at his residence, 147, Phillip-street, on the 1st day of November next. 260 Paintings and Sketches. 250 Subscribers. Tickets, one guinea. Paintings now on view. Inspection invited.

THE ECHO, AN EVENING NEWSPAPER, PRICE ONE Penny. THE ECHO contains all the Latest News of the Day, Police, Law, and Insolvency Courts, Intercolonial and Foreign late Telegrams on all topics of public interest. THE ECHO, having now attained an extensive circulation, offers great inducements to the advertising public. Advertisements received daily for the evening's publication up to 1 p.m. Office, corner of Pitt and Hunter streets.

THE VERY WORST CASES OF SCROFULA CAN BE cured by the use of Bristol's Sarsaparilla. There are many persons now in good health who were literally snatched by it from the jaws of death. If you are the victim of this horrible affection, try the Sarsaparilla at once. Why should it not cure you as well as others? Try it, try it!

THERE ARE MANY PERFUMES WHICH, WHEN applied to the handkerchief, have a very agreeable odour for a few moments and then die away, leaving only a sickly disagreeable smell. Not so with Murray and Lanman's Florida Water; the longer it is exposed the more delicate and delightful becomes its rich aroma.

THE LEADING OINTMENT OF THE DAY IS JOSEPHSON's Australian Ointment. For cases of burns, scalds, or sores of every description there is nothing like it. Use it. Price, 1s pot.

THE BLACK CURRANT BALSAM WHICH ACTS LIKE a charm on every kind of cough, ought to be kept in every family. Prepared only by SENIOR, Chemist to the Governor. Wholesale—ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, and TAYLER and Co., Pitt-street.

NEW SEASON'S TEAS, EX S. S. BOWEN.—MEDIUM TO finest qualities, chests, half-chests, and boxes. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and Co.

KNICKERBOCKER SCHNAPPS ON SALE, IN PARCELS, to dealers, storekeepers, and the trade. HOFFNUNG and Co., 159 and 161, Pitt-street.

C. I. WATER AND GAS PIPES, 4, 5, 6, AND 9-INCH. CAIRD, PATERSON, and Co.

GALVANIZED IRON, CORRUGATED AND PLAIN, 5 TO 10 feet. CAIRD, PATERSON, and Co.

FENCING WIRE.—NOS. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, AND 12. CAIRD, PATERSON, and Co.

MUNTZ YELLOW METAL, 16 TO 24 OZ.; METAL RODS and Nails. CAIRD, PATERSON, and Co.

LEA AND PERRINS' SAUCE.—IN CONSEQUENCE OF Spurious Imitations of

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, WHICH ARE CALculated to deceive the Public,

LEA AND PERRINS HAVE ADOPTED A NEW label bearing their signature, Lea and Perrins, which is placed on every bottle of Worcestershire Sauce, and without which none is genuine. Ask for Lea and Perrins' sauces, and see name on wrapper, label, bottle, and stopper. Wholesale and for export by the proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c.; and by grocers and oilmen throughout the world. To be obtained of MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and Co., Sydney, New South Wales.

HORTICULTURE IS NOW REGARDED AS ONE OF THE favourite pursuits for those having a little spare time and a little space of ground. Cases are not rare even where lovers of plants and flowers, not having much time in daylight, spend many a happy hour in their little gardens and conservatories by lamp or candle light. For the purpose of assisting amateur gardeners special articles and directions appear week by week in the columns of the SYDNEY MAIL. Subscription, 5s 6d per quarter. Hunter-street, Sydney.

ARGYLE STEAM BISCUIT FACTORY.—WE HAVE THE pleasure to announce the completion of our Biscuit Factory, and are now prepared to supply Cabin and Navy Biscuits of a superior quality, at market rates. KENDALL and SONS, George-street North, Sydney, October 13th, 1877.

REDGATE'S PATENT MEAL, HIGHLY RECOMMENDED on account of its nourishing properties.

CIGARS—CIGARS—CIGARS—5s PER 100; CUT TOBACCO, 2s lb. T. SATWELL, Tobacco Merchant, 4, Park-street.

LIME. LIME. LIME.—JUST RECEIVED, EX S.S. Beagle, weekly shipment Marble, at Depot, Wharf, 8, King-st.

CHILDREN'S KID AND RUSSIAN LEATHER BUTTON Boots, all sizes. CALLAGHAN and SON, 397, George-street.

CANADIAN BOOTS AND SHOES.—OUR SHIPMENT OF these very superior goods will be open on Tuesday morning. CALLAGHAN and SON, 397, George-street.

MUSHROOMS.—Mr. J. Graham, of George-street Market, has brought to this office some magnificent mushrooms. They were grown by Judge Josephson, of Enmore House, Newtown, and are of unusually large size and thickness.

THE approaching general election will introduce many newly-fledged politicians, each of whom will find it difficult to give utterance to their various noble sentiments from the occasional rage and froth they will acquire, arising from the unlimited chaff of the electors; hence their saliva will "dry up," as THEY WILL be told to do. This can only be remedied by COOPER'S EFFERVESCING LOZENGES. They are used by all eloquent speakers, and are sold at 1s per bottle by WASHINGTON H. SOUL, 221, Pitt-street.—ADV.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1877.

In an article in a recent number of *The Nineteenth Century* Sir JULIUS VOGEL deals with the question of the Confederation of Australia, with the ability and courage which have usually distinguished him in other lines of pursuit. During the last few months the Agents-General of Victoria, New Zealand, and New South Wales have all had their say on what is called the colonial question, and whatever else may characterise their utterances, they are certainly not remarkable for their harmony. Mr. FORSTER, if he is correctly understood, argues on behalf of the *status quo*. He contends that there is no need for disturbing the relation that exists between the colonies themselves or between the colonies and the mother country, that we are doing very well as we are, and that we well should be left alone. Mr. MICHIE—if he is rightly credited with a recent article in *Fraser*—contends, on the other hand, that we are doing anything but well, that the colonies—through their Agents-General at least—are shabbily treated by the home authorities, that the advantage under the present state of things is on the side of the mother country and the disadvantage on that of the colonies, and therefore that the sooner separation takes place the better.

Sir JULIUS VOGEL goes on the opposite tack altogether. He either takes a different view of the treatment the representatives of the colonies get at the Court of Sir James, or forms a different idea of the influence such considerations should have in any discussion of the relations of the colonies to the Empire. Like Mr. MICHIE, and unlike Mr. FORSTER, Sir JULIUS is of opinion that there is an urgent necessity for doing something, but instead of facilitating colonial separation, he would take such measures as would render separation impossible. According to Sir JULIUS VOGEL, the British Empire is at present on the road to dissolution. Under the long reign of the Whigs, he tells us, indifference to the colonies became to a large extent the ruling sentiment at home, and indifference to the mother country the sentiment in the colonies themselves. "The policy of English liberalism, we are told, was the disintegration of the Empire, while that of Toryism is Imperial consolidation, and the difference between Lord KIMBERLEY and Lord CARNARVON is, that while the one administered the Colonial Office in a manner that indicated a desire to fit the colonies for a career of independence, the other evidently does so without thought of such a change, and as if he considered the colonies permanent sections of the Empire."

Sir JULIUS VOGEL not only signifies his approval of the present management of the Foreign Office, he would also follow that policy up by measures to prevent independence, and by declaration of the inseparableness of the Empire. Separation he regards as an eventuality that should be recoiled from in horror. The question of union or separation, it is maintained, is one that belongs to the Empire, and not to the colonies at all, and the non-recognition of this ought, according to Sir JULIUS VOGEL, to be regarded as little short of treasonable. Although the colonies are represented as being ardently loyal, they are said to be gradually drifting away from the nation, and unless steps are taken to check the evil tendencies that were set in motion by the Whigs, they may soon be lost to Great Britain altogether. To prevent this calamity, Sir JULIUS VOGEL would, as we have said, commence by declaring the colonies to be integral and inseparable parts of the Empire. The next step is, that they should be required to contribute their share of the cost of the navy. But since they have advanced too far on the road to self-government to submit to a total exclusion from control over the revenue to which they contribute, it would be necessary that any scheme of federation should comprise a scheme of representation also. The representation would not be necessary at once. The colonies are not over particular, and would be satisfied for a time with a Board in London, the business of which would be that of giving advice to the Secretary of State for the Colonies. At some future period, however, a federal Legislature, distinct from the House of Commons, though not necessarily distinct from the House of Lords, would have to be established in London. In this Legislature all parts of the Empire would have to be represented on the basis of a census that might be taken once in five years.

Such a scheme of Imperial federation would, to be complete, require the union of the colonies. In the way of this Sir JULIUS VOGEL thinks little or no difficulty would be thrown by the colonies themselves. "There is," he says, "every reason to believe that if confederation took place the colonies would readily lend themselves to the consideration of a Customs Union or agreement. They rather lean to the opinion that the mother country was unmindful of what she owed to her children, when in respect to their trade she placed them in the position of foreign countries." In this Sir JULIUS VOGEL's colonial information is at fault. It is here that the obstacles in the way of the carrying out of his scheme would begin. It is strange that one who has so recently been in these colonies should maintain that so far as free trade and protection are concerned the actual policy of the two leading colonies of Australia is much the same, but such is Sir JULIUS VOGEL's assurance. "He tells us that the colonies find it on the whole convenient and expedient to chiefly rely upon the Customs as a means of raising revenue apart from any considerations in favour of protection." Again we are told that the Stamp and Succession Duties of New South Wales may be a little more severe than those of Victoria, but practically they do not come to much, when it is pretty well known that there are neither Stamp nor Succession Duties in New South Wales, whereas both exist in Victoria. It is by no means clear that such a scheme of confederation as the one that has been named would meet with favour in the colonies, even if the scheme itself were a feasible one.

Supposing that the colonies were quite willing to accept such a project, there is no evidence that even the Conservative Government of England would be willing to recommend it. It is true that under Lord CARNARVON's management the colonies have been carefully considered and faithfully served; but it is not correct to say that the policy of the present Government has tended to check the growth of colonial independence. On the contrary it has tended to encourage its growth. As the mouth-piece of the Imperial Government, Mr. FROUDE told the Cape colonists a short time ago that the progress of successful colonies should be from a condition of internal independence, and external protection to one of internal independence and external independence also. The colonies, he said, need not at any future period separate from the mother country politically. But he intimated that the time was coming when, for all practical purposes they would be expected to defend their own interests and manage their own affairs. If the colonies and the British Government were united about a scheme of Imperial representation, the English public would in all probability look with little toleration on such a scheme. If there were no objection on any side to this method of securing the confederation of the Empire, and there were any likelihood of such a scheme being made practicable, there is no pressing necessity at present for a trial of the experiment. Sir JULIUS VOGEL and the few who adopt his view start by declaring that the relation between the mother country and the colonies is unsatisfactory, and that there is an urgent necessity for doing something to set things right. But these are the points that have to be established. There are questions common to the mother country and the colonies that may have to be ventilated before long, but it has not been shown that these questions cannot be as well adjusted under the existing state of things as under an altered one. The day may come when the affairs of the colonies may require a Board of advice similar to the Indian Council, but at present the colonies feel that they are quite as well governed without such a Council as India is with one. Whatever may be rendered necessary by the march of events hereafter, there is no evidence that the colonies feel that the time has come for a declaration of independence, or for one of greater dependence. The Confederation of Australia may be a topic of considerable literary interest, but it is altogether beyond the mark, and more than is generally believed, to say that it is an urgent political necessity.

MAJOR CHRISTIE's memorandum upon the outpost operations of the Volunteer Rifles on the 6th instant is distinguished by its brevity and weight. No words are wasted. It goes straight to the point. It is from beginning to end a record of omissions. And, as such, although it is marked by an avoidance of personal censure, it has the effect of casting a serious censure upon those on whom the responsibility for the proper conduct of the operations rested. On reading the memorandum the question that suggests itself is, what would have been the consequences if these operations had been conducted in so loose a manner in defence of the position against an experienced and enterprising enemy? "Prior to being posted, companies were marching about, without any precautions against surprise, and apparently in a very purposeless manner. The low heights, which should have formed the right of the position taken up (in rear of the pine woods) were not occupied at all; consequently, in the grey of morning it would have been by no means impossible for the enemy attacking from that side to have got between the picquets and the main body they were intended to cover, and so either cut them off or compelled them to retire with loss. . . . The road coming in on the left of the position occupied was not properly watched. . . . The sentries in many cases were not thrown sufficiently forward, so that, instead of being able to watch the northern slope of the hills on which they were posted, they were so far from the edge as to be unable to see anything but the bush around them, and so were practically useless. A signal station should have been established on the church, and the officer commanding the Engineer Corps, immediately on arrival, taken steps for executing a rough survey of the village of Randwick, as preliminary to the adoption of the other steps necessary for rendering it defensible." The inference from such remarks as these is that if in time of war the defence of the city were managed after this fashion, the defence would be a failure, and the very existence of the defence force would be compromised. It is no disparagement to the bravery of the men to admit the possibility of their being sacrificed. And it would not be justifiable war, but an unnecessary and unjustifiable sacrifice of life to undertake military operations without taking military precautions against surprise and danger.

As there was no enemy present the other day, it is perhaps well that these mistakes were made, and that the Major of Brigade has had the opportunity of pointing them out in so direct and practical a manner. The object of encampments and operations in the field for the Volunteer Force in times of peace is to give it as fully as possible a practical knowledge of the work that would have to be done in times of war. But that object is only to be gained by getting rid of the impression that the proceedings are in play, and acting as though the grim reality were present. So far as the rank and file are concerned, they may learn a great part of their duties upon the drill ground, but if those who order and control their movements are to add experience to theory, they should learn their part upon the field, and that, not by practising war with the conditions of war left out, but by realising in the utmost attainable degree its dangers and requirements. Familiarity with the precautions of war can hardly be acquired without maintaining a vigilant outlook for every source of possible danger, and providing against it as if it were really imminent. What is wanted is to establish the habit; and habits of care and circumspection are not established under conditions in which the need for care is lightly estimated. It is to be hoped that on another occasion Major CHRISTIE's candour and plain-speaking will be proved to have taken effect.

The proceedings which Major CHRISTIE has criticised may be taken as an illustration of the radical weakness of our whole defence system. As no enemy was present, there was an unreality and want of thoroughness about the operations, which would have involved the utmost danger in actual war. And so it is with the general treatment of the whole question. No enemy is present, and neither the Legislature nor the country has yet seriously recognized that the attack of an enemy is a probable danger. The possibility of an attack has been admitted, because it could not be denied; but the probability has seldom, if ever, been thoroughly acknowledged by the community. Some, perhaps, may dispute this statement of the case; but, although exceptional facts might be quoted against it, the confirmation lies in the general course of action of the Legislature. On any other supposition, it would be hard to find an intelligible explanation for the dilatory and half-hearted manner in which the question of defence has too generally been treated. As a matter of fact, we have not made full provision against probable danger; and as an intelligent people, we can only justify our neglect by the confession that we do not admit that danger is probable. But our case is not much improved by taking that view of it. If there is no probable danger of an attack before us—and that belief is clearly to be inferred from the want of thoroughness in our provision for defence—why do we make any provision at all? We are incurring year by year, a heavy expenditure for purposes of defence, but so long as we stop short of making our preparations complete and effective, we virtually confess that there is no need to make them at all. If there be reason to fear danger, there is reason for making effective provision against it; but whether there be danger, or whether there be not, nothing is to be gained by making ineffective provision. Such outlay is a waste of money in any case, and in the event of war it would lead to a waste of life also.

The colony has been playing at defence for a great many years; and it is quite time the matter were either abandoned or taken up in earnest, and carried through to completion, so far as our circumstances permit, and the admission of a reasonable probability of danger requires. "A little defence, and that little bad, is not worth paying for. But a system of defence that had reality and thoroughness would, even if it cost more, give some promise of a return for the money. But such a system should have more of the professional and less of the amateur about it; less of freewill, caprice, and political influence, and more of military control and discipline. And, however the force might be composed, guarantees should be taken that the officers had a scientific and practical knowledge of their business. An attempt was made six or seven years ago to establish our defences upon a firmer basis. If from that time to this the work had been carried on with vigour, efficiency, and hearty public support, it is hardly conceivable that there would have been room for the publication of criticisms like Major CHRISTIE's upon operations at the keys of our position. Every inch of the ground would have been known; every point would have been studied; every precaution would have been forecasted to guard against the possibility of surprise; and every coign of vantage would have been seized for arresting the progress of an imaginary enemy. And this having been done in times of peace, the occurrence of an emergency would have found the force prepared to act with efficiency, instead of requiring to learn its work without time for the lesson.

SUPREME COURT.—Business This Day.—Master's Office, at 10.30 a.m., Lloyd and another v. Vickery and another, adjourned defendant Vickery's evidence. At 11 a.m., Franklin and another v. Yeomans and another, adjourned evidence prior to hearing.

DISTRICT COURT.—Monday, 16th October:—Jury Cause: 4282, Petersen v. Freidman. Issue: Dempsey v. Jones.

THE INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF.—The Postmaster-General (the Honorable John Davies) has granted the free use of the telegraph to the central committee, to enable them to communicate with the Mayors of the different municipalities respecting co-operation in the movement for obtaining subscriptions for the relief of sufferers from the Indian famine.

THE EAST SYDNEY ELECTION.—A well-attended meeting of persons interested in and willing to support the candidature of Mr. James Greenwood for the electorate of East Sydney was held in the Temperance Hall on Saturday night. Mr. John Stewart was voted to the chair. During a pretty general discussion that took place it was stated that a large number of leading mercantile firms and citizens had expressed themselves thoroughly dissatisfied with the condition of the late Parliament, and shown an extreme desire to make the new one as pure as possible. Twenty years' experience proved that some of the leading politicians had had their innings, and should make way, by retiring from the political arena, for those who are honest and capable enough to deal with the questions of the day in a satisfactory manner. At the present juncture of public affairs it was held that Mr. Greenwood's honesty of purpose would benefit the electors of East Sydney to a very large extent; and it was asserted also that that gentleman had been promised a large amount of support. It was stated very distinctly that Mr. Greenwood did not appear in the present instance under the auspices of the Public Schools League, but that a requisition had been got up altogether independent of that, the spirit of which Mr. Greenwood had agreed to. Mr. Greenwood, who went into the meeting near its close, thanked those who had interested themselves on his behalf, and, after he had given a brief expression to his political views on free trade, protection, immigration in connection with colonization, and education, an influential committee was elected to secure his return, and the proceedings terminated.

WEST SYDNEY ELECTION.—On Saturday evening a meeting of the friends of the Hon. John Robertson was held at the Wynyard Hotel, Erskine-street. There was a tolerably large attendance. An influential committee was formed for the purpose of taking steps to secure the Premier's re-election, and other arrangements were made in order to carry out the object of the meeting.

FOUND DROWNED.—About half-past 7 o'clock yesterday morning, a young man named Alexander Young, about 20 years of age, employed as an assistant chemist at Mr. Watson's, Brickfield-hill, was accidentally drowned at Wilson's baths, in the Domain. The water police were called in, and dragged in vain for the body, till about half-past 3 o'clock, when the assistance of a professional diver was called in, and the body was found by him immediately after. The police took the body to the dead-house, Circular Quay, where it remains awaiting an inquest. Deceased had been cautioned not to go to that part of the baths where the body was afterwards found, on account of its depth, and as he was unable to swim.

PRESENTATION.—Mr. John Horatio Nickson, who has recently retired from the Government Printing Office, after a service of fourteen years, was presented by his brother employees with a souvenir in the shape of a gold Maltese Cross, upon which was a suitable inscription engraved, and a composing-stick, letter-press, and inkstand with pens, emblems of the different branches in which he was at various times employed in the department, with the Australian arms below. The workmanship was very neatly and artistically executed by Mr. Thomas Nickson, jeweller. In addition to the above, a framed illuminated address was also presented.

THE MINISTER OF LANDS.—We understand that Mr. Garrett holds office until the acceptance of his resignation and the appointment of his successor.

ARRIVAL OF THE MAIL VIA SUEZ.—The light portion of the English mail per R. M. S. Assam reached Sydney overland on Saturday morning from Melbourne. Our files are to the 31st August. In another page will be found our letter from our London Correspondent on "British and Foreign Affairs."

CORPORATION DEBENTURES.—"Mnemon," in the *Sydney Mail*, asks: "What is the difference between Moore Park debentures and City debentures? Three months ago the Corporation of Sydney regarded Moore Park as such an excellent asset for the £40,000 or more of debentures issued on it that they resolved not to issue any below par. For a most excellent reason, probably, though it was not stated, the City Council on Tuesday rescinded their resolution, and thus the Mayor may dispose of Sydney Common debentures to whoever will buy at a price below par. The curious part of the matter is that holders of Sydney Common debentures have the same security for money advanced as holders of city, sewerage, or water debentures. Is it intended that these other classes of debentures, which have hitherto realised so well in the market, are to be quitted below par too?"

ART.—During the past week Signor Simonetti's studio has been open to the public, who have availed themselves largely of the opportunity to see his works in modelling and sculpture, particularly the model for the "statue of justice." His Excellency the Governor visited the studio on Saturday, and expressed his gratification at Signor Simonetti's productions. His Excellency expressed the general opinion that these statues for the new public offices should be executed in marble instead of the more perishable sandstone. If the work is to be done at all, it should certainly be done in the best material. The difference in cost would be comparatively small.

NOONDAY PRAYER MEETINGS.—The usual noonday prayer meetings, which were held during the visit of Rev. Dr. Somerville in this city, are still held in the same place, the Masonic Hall, and at the same hour from 12 to 1 every day, except Saturday. The meeting on Monday was conducted by Mr. John Walker, who delivered an address on Achan's sin. The Rev. Dr. White, R. S. Paterson, Messrs. D. Walker and Bosworth also took part. On Tuesday there was a larger attendance, when the Rev. W. J. K. Piddington presided, and spoke very earnestly on "Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, to-day and for ever." The requests for prayer were read by Mr. Walker. The Revs. T. B. Tress, M'Cready, Jenning, and Stewart, of Brisbane, also took part. On Wednesday the Rev. T. B. Tress presided, and delivered an excellent discourse on "I am the Bread of Life." The requests for prayer having been read, Rev. Mr. Gibson, of Dungog, gave an account of the work in Brisbane. Messrs. Scott and Bowmaker also spoke. The Rev. P. F. Mackenzie closed with the benediction. There was a large attendance on Thursday, when the Rev. W. White, LL.D., presided, and gave a short address upon II. Thess. ii. chap. 13 verse. The requests having been read, the Rev. Mr. Auld engaged in prayer. A telegram from Dr. Somerville was read, and a suitable reply was sent. Rev. J. Barnier spoke of the blessing received during the late evangelistic services; Mr. J. S. Adams also said a few words; and Rev. P. H. Cornford pronounced the benediction. The meeting on Friday was presided over by the Rev. H. Martin, of Bathurst, who delivered a very appropriate address on Ruth, i. chap. 16 verse. Revs. Dr. M'Gibbon, Dr. White, and Mr. Tuting also took part in the meeting. The singing was led by the United Evangelistic Choir.

A CLUMSY ATTEMPT AT FORGERY.—The man Joseph M. Thomas, who attempted to pass a forged cheque for £300 at the London Chartered Bank, Collins-street, on Tuesday (says the *Argus*) was brought before the City Bench on Wednesday, charged with the offence. Mr. T. J. Curtis, teller at the bank, informed the magistrates that on Tuesday afternoon the prisoner called with a letter purporting to be an application from Messrs. S. Lazarus and Co. for a cheque-book, on receiving which the prisoner left. Shortly afterwards he returned, and presented an envelope containing a cheque for £300, which was drawn up in favour of J. Lazarus, jun., and signed "S. Lazarus and Co." A note was also enclosed, requesting that the bearer should be paid in notes, and signed by the name of the same firm. Suspicion having been aroused that a fraud was being attempted, the prisoner was asked who sent him with the cheque, and he distinctly replied "Lazarus's firm." Mr. Lazarus was then sent for, and on his arrival he pronounced the cheque to be a forgery. Thomas, who was then given into custody, said that he had been sent to the bank by a man named Morris Joel, and declared that he did not know what the envelope contained. It was subsequently ascertained that Thomas and Joel had arrived but very recently in the colony, having come from London as fellow passengers in the Lady Jocelyn. Joel, it appears, brought an order from Messrs. Lazarus and Co.'s London house for £22, and on presenting it at their Melbourne office, received their cheque for that amount. Some time afterwards he sent them a note by Thomas to the following effect:—"Please give the bearer the address of the bank that you gave me the cheque for £22 upon, as I have just found out that I left my overcoat and note-book there. By giving the bearer a written answer you will oblige yours, &c., MORRIS JOEL." A postscript explained that he should have called himself for the information, but that he was busy preparing to leave for Sydney. It is now supposed that this was a trick, for the purpose of obtaining the signature of the firm, but although the desired information was given in writing, the name of the firm was not subscribed, and this may account for the clumsiness of the forgery. Mr. Gillow, who appeared for the prisoner, assured the Bench that his client was only the dupe or tool of another. The prisoner was remanded until Tuesday, and was admitted to bail of two sureties in £100 each, whilst in the meantime a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Morris Joel.

SUICIDE AT BRISBANE.—A suicide occurred at the Metropolitan Hotel, Brisbane, between Saturday night and Monday morning. The victim (says the *Courier*) was a Mr. E. F. Wall, son of J. A. Wall, Q.C., of 28, South Bagot-street, Dublin, who arrived in Sydney by the Chimborazo, and landed in Brisbane on Wednesday last from the steamer Elamang, and who appears to have been on his way to Messrs. Macartney and Mayne's Waverley station, near St. Lawrence. The unfortunate man was last seen alive by the waiter at about half-past 10 o'clock on Saturday evening, when he was entering his bedroom. Nothing was seen of him during the whole of Sunday, and yesterday morning, at about 9 o'clock, the door of his room was forced open, when he was found lying on his side on the bed, life being quite extinct. Death had evidently been caused by a shot from a revolver placed in the mouth in such a position that the bullet passed out at the back of the head. Beneath him was found the revolver, with which the deed had evidently been committed; it was loaded in every chamber, except that upon which the hammer had last fallen. The body was examined by Dr. Hobbs, who gave it as his opinion that death must have been almost instantaneous, and who issued the necessary order for burial. An inquiry will be held, but the date is not yet fixed. There is every reason to believe that the fatal act by the deceased was committed while suffering from the effects of drink.

THE DROUGHT ON THE HODGKINSON.—Should this terrible continuance of dry weather not be broken up in a few weeks, it will be something more than not making money we shall have to deplore (says the *Mining News*). It will not be a negative evil meshing us in, but a positive one attacking us. The burnt up and barren condition of the surrounding country is indescribably bad. Not a vestige of grass or of herbage exists. On the sides of the various ranges which lock the field in, there was, until lately, a great growth of grass, from which some nutriment could be got by the cattle running on them. The fire-fiends have been let loose on this, and the whole country is now blackened, and nothing left but rocks. Horses can but keep themselves alive but are quite unfit for use if turned out. Should no rain fall, in a very few weeks numbers of the horses running outside will perish. The water has evaporated and dried up from the bed of the river with astonishing rapidity. Long reaches of nearly a mile in extent, and from five to twenty feet in depth when the river ceased running, about last May, are as dry as a bone, and this twenty miles down the river, where its bed is treble in width what it is near Thornborough, and after it has received several large tributaries. The supply of water for the Spring Gully machine is so shortened that seven days is expected to see it out. The large sheet that once supplied the Loadstone has gone, and the manager of the Goldfinder is very much afraid of his quantum running out in a few days; in fact, the surface water has disappeared. The Prince of Wales is the best off; no probability of the supply shortening there. The supply of the Vulcan is holding out in a wonderful manner, and Mr. Jackson, by manoeuvring, is enabled to keep both batteries going. At the Tyrconnel a sufficiency is obtained from the spring for one battery for the day shift.

TWO FAST BOYS.—In September last (writes the *Ballarat Star*) a boy named Francis M'Loughlin took advantage of the absence of everybody belonging to his uncle's house, in Ballarat East, to abstract therefrom fourteen small nuggets, amounting in value to £5, which he sold. On the first day on which he procured the money he "picked up" with some other boys about his own age and hired a buggy, representing to the owner that it was for his sick father, and in this style spent the day driving about the country. He repeated this course of action for three days, when he received intimation somehow of a warrant being out for his arrest, whereupon he retired with one of his boon companions to the ranges along the Plank Road. The money having given out, these two young vagrants began to steal the eggs from an old woman's hen-farm at Sinclair's Hill, till they were at last caught by the police and brought to justice. At the town court, on Monday, the police gave both M'Loughlin and the other boy, Brogden, bad characters, young as they were; and the Bench sent the former to an industrial school for three years, and the latter for four years, both being sentenced to undergo six hours' imprisonment first.

GOING TO ENGLAND FROM AMERICA FOR WORK.—The New York *World* says:—"Fifty carpenters left New York recently for England. They go under contract with a firm of builders in Manchester, who agree to provide them with work for six months at 8½d. per hour. These men are only a detachment. The Manchester builders have instructed their agent here to send them between two and three hundred workmen. The object of the Manchester builders is said to be to defeat a strike of carpenters in Manchester by employing American workmen at less wages than the English carpenters will accept. This seems to be a temporary measure, so far, but it is worthy of note that of 160 masons who went to England on similar conditions last year only ... have thus far returned." These carpenters and masons (observes the *Chicago Tribune*) probably understand their business. They can do better in England than they can in this country, where they are supposed to be magnificently protected by a "protective tariff." That "protective tariff" does not give the workman work, and if he has work it does not give him the living he can make in England. The "protective" tariff is an affair for the exclusive benefit of the manufacturers, and when Radical demagogues tell men that "protection" is a great boon to the country, the Louisville *Courier-Journal* declares they lie, that is all. There appears to be a chance for people who want to work in Russia also. The Odessa correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* says:—"I have learned from American and English papers that America has not yet seen the effect of the Russo-Turkish war as regards the grain market; but we think that America will soon begin to feel it, as we have not sent out a bushel of grain to England since the beginning of the war. We have made one step forward against England, that is very plain. Russia is known to have very large importation of foreign goods of every description, mostly from England. Now all the leading merchants have organised a society, the object of which is to discourage the importation of any kind of goods from England from this time. The society is increasing rapidly, and, I suppose, will soon be the majority, and then we will have to have first-class mechanics, machinists, and others, which, I suppose, America can supply if necessary. Our crop all over Russia being extraordinarily good this year, the grain market is very low. Several regiments have been sent out to work on the farms, as farmers is very short of help this year." As long as American mechanics find that they can sell their labour to better advantage in Europe, they will continue to go there. Their practical experience is that the benefit of a protective tariff are altogether illusory, as far as the working man is concerned.

THE ROUTE TO INDIA AND AUSTRALIA VIA THE CAPE.—Mr. W. E. Gladstone, in the *Nineteenth Century*, referring to the route to India and Australia via the Cape of Good Hope, states:—"It seems to be forgotten by many that there is a route to India round the Cape of Good Hope, as completely as if that route lay by the north-western passage, yet the discovery of the new water path, when it was achieved, was an event not greater in relation to the contemporary condition of the world than the piercement of the Isthmus of Suez has been for the nineteenth century. The Cape itself lies half-way, and it may be termed equidistant from Calcutta and Bombay. The important and growing settlements of that region have not, however, escaped the eye of British enterprise. Supposing that in time of war we were compelled to resort to this route—we must remember the continent could not be counted on in war time—we must make the comparison with the voyage from Southampton, which lengthens the present passage by some days. This will hardly make the difference to us between life and death in the maintenance of our Indian Empire."

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER.—The *Home News* of August 31 says:—"Mr. Richards, the Government printer of New South Wales, has been making excellent use of his visit to England. Mr. Richards has visited most of our large printing and bookbinding establishments, investigating the improved methods of manufacturing envelopes, and the manner in which the paper-mills are worked. Mr. Richards has also been purchasing machinery for the Government printing office in Sydney, which establishment is, of course, expanding, to meet the rapidly-increasing requirements of the colony. With this object in view, he has procured a large number of useful machines, and has made arrangements for taking out to Sydney the "Woodbury process"—a most valuable invention for producing illustrations, and which might be availed of with much advantage to the colony if views were taken of the various places of interest in New South Wales, not omitting the interior, and sending them to England. As Mr. Richards is a Major of Volunteers in the colony, in his desire to procure all the information in his power, he has not neglected military matters. He spent some time at Wimbledon and visited several camps, the result of which will doubtless prove of service to his adopted country."

THEATRE ROYAL.—On Saturday night this theatre was crammed to excess. His Excellency the Governor and the Hon. Lady Robinson, with their suite, were present, and the dress circle was one of the largest ever assembled in this favourite place as amusement. The opera was "La Fille de Madame Angot," but the great attraction was Mdlle. Sara, the danseuse, whose eccentric style of performance has been so much spoken of in America and elsewhere. Curiosity to see this artist, whose feats are said to be unrivalled, drew old and young to the theatre. The ballet in which Mdlle. Sara, Miss Florence Slater, and the other ladies of the company take part, and which commences the third act of the opera, is somewhat *à la cancan* in manner, but without the coarseness of that diversion. Mdlle. Sara's performance is most extraordinary. It can scarcely be called dancing; it is, in fact, chiefly a series of acrobatic feats very cleverly executed. This sort of thing is matter of taste, of course, but it is only just to say that there is no vulgarity either in the dress or style of Mdlle. Sara. This evening Hervé's opera "Chilperic" will be produced.

CRICKET.—ALBERT C. C. v. WARWICK C. C.—The first elevens of these two clubs opened the season on Saturday afternoon last at the Albert Ground, but owing to the contest being limited to one day it excited little or no interest, and the spectators could not have numbered more than a hundred. The ground was in good order, and the wickets played well, although somewhat dead owing to the recent heavy rain. The Alberts, having won the toss, went first to the wickets and put 96 runs together before the last man was sent back to the pavilion. D. Gregory, who went in first, carried his bat out for a score of 32 obtained by excellent cricket without giving a chance; and Thompson played with his usual steadiness for 12. Moses was also in fair form, but the rest of the team were evidently in want of practice. Humphreys and Rush bowled with considerable success for the Warwicks, and the fielding was on the whole good, although one or two chances were missed. The Warwicks were not able to complete their innings, and when the stumps were drawn had scored 57 for five wickets down. C. Bannerman played a good innings for 27, when he was splendidly caught in the field by Oliver, and Seale and Dummett also appeared to be in good form, the other batsmen being ... The bowling of Thompson and Spofforth was fair, and the fielding of the Alberts generally good—Bodd... especially distinguishing himself in this department. The match, not being played out, ended in a "draw," the usual unsatisfactory termination of one-day contests. Messrs. Viviani and Garrett acted as umpires. The following are the scores:—

ALBERTS.

Thompson, c Rush b Humphreys	12
Spofforth, b Rush	4
Murdoch, b Rush	12
D. Gregory, not out	32
A. Docker, c and b Humphreys	0
Morgan, b Humphreys	7
Lord, b Humphreys	6
Boddam, c and b Humphreys	
T. Docker, c C. Bannerman b Rush	
Moses, b Rush	
Oliver, b A. Bannerman	
Sundries	
Total	

WARWICKS.

C. Bannerman, c Oliver b Thompson	27
A. Bannerman, st Murdoch b Spofforth	5
Seale, c and b Thompson	8
Dummett, not out	11
Marr, b Spofforth	
Rush, b Spofforth	
Walford, not out	
5 wickets for	

MERCANTILE ROWING CLUB.—SECOND ANNUAL REGATTA.

The second annual regatta of the Mercantile Rowing Club was held on Saturday afternoon, opposite the club boathouse at Dawes Point, and everything went off successfully. The weather was fine and warm throughout, and the spectators were numerous, most of the ladies being accommodated with seats on the boathouse balcony, which, with the verandah, did duty as the deck of a flagship. There were six events on the programme, each of them attractive, and most of them well contested. The first race was the more interesting because it was the first occasion of any members of the Mercantile Rowing Club appearing publicly in wager boats, but the sculling was not good. Gibbons, who rowed with a fixed seat, pulled the best of three men who exhibited their skill; but his pulling was nothing special. The two others used the sliding-seat. Generally speaking the pulling in the other races was tolerably good—some of it was very good, and much of it was uneven and wild. This was due, no doubt, to the fact in the cases of the scratch four-oars, of the crews being composed of men not used to pulling in the same boat, and for that reason was not, of course, a fair test of their capabilities. By far the best racing was seen in the struggles for second place. Generally the leading crew was too much for the others, and then two which could not overhaul the leader would content themselves with a hard contest for second honours. A steam launch with the umpire on board, and the Britannia, harbour steamer, with a number of passengers, followed each race. The green slope of the hill to the north of the boat-house was dotted with spectators; the boat-house itself was decorated with flags, and the Albion brass band was present playing lively airs (amongst them the "Mercantile Rowing Club Galop," composed by the bandmaster, Mr. Devlin) throughout the afternoon. The starter of the races was Mr. H. Coles, who, with the assistance of Mr. Strange, got the boats away very successfully; the umpire was Mr. C. W. Rudd, and the judge, Mr. W. J. M'Leod. Prizes were exhibited as presented by Messrs. C. K. Moore, Charles Teakle, Lamb and Fairfax. Prizes to be rowed for on some future date—a wager boat, presented by the hon. secretary (Mr. Benson), and a sterling silver goblet, given by Mr. A. T. Black, of Barranjuey, were exhibited. The following is a detailed account:—

First Race.—Senior scullers in outriggers. Course: From Dawes Point, round the steamship City of New York, thence round a boat off Kirribilli, and back to Clubhouse.

Bell Bird—W. Bull .. 1
O. K.—C. Gibbons .. 2
Al—W. Brett .. 3

Bull took the start with a slight lead, and almost immediately afterwards Gibbons fouled with Brett. Passing Campbell's Wharf Gibbons went to the front, and approaching the steamer he had a good lead, Brett rowing second. Rounding the ship Gibbons was three lengths ahead, and here Bull pulled into second place. Gibbons increased his lead to four or five lengths, but then began to show signs of giving way, and near Milson's Point was leading by a length only. Bull soon passed him now, and rounded the boat off Kirribilli fully three lengths in advance. Brett, who was not a bad third, though there was no chance of his winning, capsized. The lead which Bull had secured was too great for his opponent, however, who pulled pluckily throughout, and the race finished with a space of five or six lengths between the boats. Bull at the start had the misfortune to smash the poppethead of his boat.

Second Race.—Junior Double Scullers, in outriggers. Course: From Dawes Point, round flag off Kirribilli, thence round Fort Denison, and back to club.

FIRST HEAT.
Amazon—H. E. Wilkinson, J. Walford .. 1
Magic—S. J. Bull, T. Benson .. 2
SECOND HEAT.
——F. Mountcastle, C. Saunders .. 1
FINAL HEAT.
Amazon—H. E. Wilkinson, J. Walford .. 1
——F. Mountcastle, C. Saunders .. 2

The boats in the first heat went away with a good start, keeping well together until approaching the red flag, where the Amazon took the lead, and from that time kept it. Rounding the flag, off Kirribilli, the Amazon was two lengths ahead, and the lead was gradually increased until the finish, when fully three lengths separated the boats. The men in each boat pulled well. For the second heat in this race Messrs. Mountcastle and Saunders rowed over the course. The final heat was an easy affair for the Amazon's crew, whose opponents, though they rowed a plucky race, had really no chance. Walford, who is a very nice puller, and his companion obtained a slight lead shortly after the start, and gradually increased it, passing round Fort Denison a length ahead, and winning the race by three lengths.

Third Race.—Senior four-oars. Course: From Blue's Point, round Fort Denison, thence to Club.

Pleiades—W. Bull, W. R. Benson, J. H. Wilkinson, C. Medcalf (stroke) .. 1
Passenger—E. Meares, R. Palmer, W. Boulton, J. Mahoney (stroke) .. 2

This was considered a very easy race for Medcalf's crew, and it proved so. The others were younger, lighter, and not so lasting, and besides this, with one or two exceptions, they pulled badly. The bow was particularly weak. The Pleiades took a trifling lead at the start, and gradually increased it, rounding Fort Denison three lengths in front, and winning by considerably more.

Fourth Race.—Junior Four-oars. Course same as No. 3.

Magic—E. Sayers, S. Bull, J. A. Fairfax, W. R. Sayers (stroke) .. 1
Tommy Dodd—D. Murray, J. Freedman, G. Murray, F. Mountcastle (stroke) .. 2
Al—C. Burns, E. Lucas, J. A. Lucas, J. Butler (stroke) .. 3

This was a capital race almost throughout. The start was a very good one, but in the first one hundred and fifty yards the Magic, which seemed to be too much for the others even in this early part of the contest, led by a length. After passing Kirribilli the Tommy Dodd and Al fouled. They had been racing well together previously, with the chances apparently in favour of Al, but the foul gave the Tommy Dodd an advantage, and she followed the leading boat, which had by this time increased its lead, around Fort Denison. Towards home the boats raced with a slightly decreasing distance between them, but when opposite Farm Cove Al was done, and dropped behind considerably. Tommy Dodd's crew pulled very fresh, and put on a spurt towards the finish, but their efforts were of no avail, and the Magic won by at least two clear boat's lengths.

Fifth Race.—Scratch Four-oars. Course: Same as No. 3.

Turk—C. Medcalf (captain), N. Lockyer, L. R. Mitchell, D. St. George .. 1
Undaunted—J. Mackensey (captain), H. E. Wilkinson, F. Purchase, H. Jacob .. 2
Amazon—J. Wilkinson (captain), F. Bull, W. Goulding, D. Fletcher .. 3
Oenone—W. R. Benson (captain), H. Langley, H. Lockyer, F. Strange .. 4

Oenone got the start, and led slightly, with Turk next, and Amazon and Undaunted about equal. Crossing the bay, Turk was first by a clear length, the three others being at this time on about equal terms. Near the red flag, Turk was two lengths in front, and Undaunted and Amazon tied. This gave Oenone, who was rowing last, a chance to come up level with the second boats; but, the ... but a very short time, she dropped behind again, and Undaunted took second place. Round Fort Denison Turk was leading by four lengths and pulling very well. Oenone gradually fell out of the race, and a fine struggle commenced between the Undaunted and the Amazon. These two boats raced well to the finish, with slightly varying success, but mostly in favour of the Undaunted, whose crew were slightly better than that of the Amazon. Turk won the race easily, and Undaunted was second by scarcely half a length in advance of the Amazon.

Sixth Race.—Scratch Four-oars. Course: From Dawes Point round flag off Kirribilli Point; thence round Fort Denison and back to club.

Amanda—E. Sayers (captain), J. A. Fairfax, G. Murray, E. Saunders .. 1
Fleetwing—Ashdown (captain), J. Smart, F. Freeman, J. Fetherbridge .. 2
Nemesis—C. Gibbons (captain), H. Williams, G. Thompson, and R. Keddie .. 3
Victoria—W. R. Sayers (captain), A. Dirks, D. Murray, J. Freeman .. 4

Amanda at once took the lead, and was half a length in advance before the boats had gone three hundred yards. Off Kirribilli Fleetwing and Nemesis were level, but at the buoy, where the flag was, Fleetwing got into second place, while Amanda was three lengths ahead. During the rest of the race there was no change, except that the boats tailed off very much. Amanda, which was well pulled all through the race, won by from eight to ten lengths, Fleetwing being second, Nemesis third (four lengths behind Fleetwing), and Victoria nowhere.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At his Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, Saddlery, Harness, &c.; at Camperdown, at 2, Horses.
SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.
G. M. PITT AND SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
W. FULLAGAR.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.
WELLS AND SMITH.—At 291, George-street, at 11, Goodwill, Plant, and Lease of Hay and Corn Business, Horse, Spring-cart and Harness, Hay, Straw, &c.
M. MOLONY.—At his Rooms, at 11, Boots and Shoes.
E. ALLAN.—On Premises, George-street, Redfern, at 11, Allotment of Land.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Sheep.
E. J. HUGHES AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture, Mangles, Sewing-machines, &c.
LYNN AND LISTER.—At their Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.
P. MOORE AND CO.—At their Mart, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Mangles, Counters, Pianofortes, &c.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette*. Sold in packets and tins, ½-lb. and 1-lb., labelled—"JAMES EPPS and Co., Homœopathic Chemists, 48, Threadneedle-street; and 170, Piccadilly, London."—ADVT.

ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The annual dinner of this association took place at the Victoria Café, George-street, on Saturday night. About fifty gentlemen were present. Mr. Norman Selfe, the president, occupied the chair, and had on his right Mr. Sutherland and Mr. G. R. Dibbs, and on his left Mr. H. Hudson and Mr. J. Booth. Mr. J. Laing occupied the vice-chair, and among the other gentlemen present were Alderman Young, Messrs. J. Taylor, F. Broderick, G. A. Morell, — Davy, W. Scott, W. Cruickshank, G. Davidson, J. P. Frank. The chairman having said grace, the company immediately proceeded to do justice to an excellent dinner, provided by Mr. Harris. After dinner, "The Queen," "The Prince of Wales, and Royal Family," and "His Excellency the Governor," were honoured with the customary toasts.

Mr. JOHN BOOTH then proposed "Success to the Engineering Association of New South Wales." He considered this association one of the grandest institutions of the colony, and he was glad to see that it had the support of so many of its old friends whom he saw present at the inaugural meeting eight years ago, and that there were young members now availing themselves of the advantages which it afforded in the way of technical instruction. He looked upon it as an everlasting disgrace on the Government that they did not aid this association as it aided the schools of art and mechanics' institutions. If he had been appealed to, he should have been glad to apply to the Government for assistance, for he considered that when the association benefited the public—and he believed it benefited them more than schools of art or working men's institutions—it was entitled to aid from the public funds. The society had progressed, and he heartily wished for it a continuance of success for many years to come. (Cheers.)

The toast having been duly honoured,

The CHAIRMAN, in responding, expressed his pleasure at seeing amongst them a number of gentlemen who had since the first inauguration of the association taken a great interest in its welfare—an interest he was sure its members fully appreciated. They had now been in existence about eight years. The objects for which they started were very modest—simply to provide a reading-room and place where the members could meet together and discuss matters for the good of their business, and to introduce improvements from other countries that might be of advantage to the colony in the mechanical arts. They had carried out these things, for they had now a comfortable reading-room and a library, which, though very small, was pretty good. They had books that were not to be found even in the Free Public Library; and, as regarded this institution, he expressed his regret that the Government, instead of making provision for lending books to compete with other circulating libraries, did not provide the best books of reference or works of art and science. In this Free Public Library he was unable to find nine works out of ten that he wanted. This necessitated their association providing works of a scientific character that would not be required if they could be had in the Public Library. The Government had far better provide works of this class, and if a free circulating library were required it could be a municipal affair. Besides having a reading-room and library, the association had now something they never contemplated in the first instance, that was separate classes for the technical training of youths in the professions in which they were now engaged; and he thought they might congratulate themselves on the great success attending the formation of these classes. For the initiation of these great credit was due to gentlemen in times past—more especially to Mr. Cruikshank, who was the leading member in their formation. There were two classes now carried on—an advanced class and a junior class, and they were the only classes in the colony for imparting technical instruction. There were useful well-conducted classes of a more general nature carried on in the School of Arts; but technical instruction in engineering, such as was especially required by an engineer, was only taught at these classes of the association. He concurred with Mr. Wilkins, the secretary of the Council of Education, in thinking that it was hardly possible for the Council of Education to give such technical instruction, for they had no staff. To teach these things they did not want schoolmasters, but they wanted mechanics—tradesmen who had the necessary education to impart scientific knowledge which was required in the special branches. He hoped and trusted that before long a movement would take place in this colony for the establishment of a central technical school or college, from which, in after times, branches might be extended into the interior of the colony. This subject of technical instruction was very often misunderstood in the colony, and more was asked for than was good or required. They should not aim at teaching all sorts of things to every man, but that which was useful to him in the particular trade which he followed—to impart the special application of the scientific principles that were involved in their handicraft. And if this were generally acted upon, every man would be twice as good to himself and three times as good to the country he lived in. (Cheers.) In these two technical classes there were something like thirty or forty youths receiving instruction that would make them more useful in their generation. And in doing this he thought they had a fair claim on the colony for assistance. [Mr. DIBBS: Hear, hear.] The Government aided the Royal Society and the Academy of Art, both useful societies in their way. Much taste was required in the engineering art; and if the Government gave its assistance to the promotion of the drawing of pictures, he contended that they ought much more to aid a society which taught mechanical drawing, because for every one interested in or benefited by the art of drawing there were hundreds interested in mechanical drawing, for there was not an article which was used that was not planned from drawings. To those who did not see the difference between artistic and mechanical art he commended the study of an article by Professor Jenkins published in Friday's *Herald*, which pointed out the great improvement of mechanical drawing—of the drawing of forms that were used in all their workshops. As they were to have a new Parliament, he did not see why they should not ask for some assistance from the Government funds. He did not see why they should not get a piece of ground from the Government for a local habitation. In turning to the state of engineering matters in the colony, he regretted that they were not so prosperous as in times past. Twenty-two years ago he recollected that there were not more than forty or fifty machines in the colony, while now, there were at least 1000. That showed a wonderful progress, but he was very sorry to say that very little advance had taken place within the last year or two. Since the earlier time he spoke of the industry in wood had sprung up, and now numbered more tools than the iron industry. He hoped iron would work side by side with wood, and as fast as the workers in wood gave them carriages they would be able to supply the iron horses to push them. [Mr. SUTHERLAND: If you can get the chance.] Several things, however, would have to take place before they could hold their own. And in regard to the business as carried on in Sydney and Melbourne, the workshops in Melbourne had this advantage, that many of them kept to specialities, making but one thing, and in this way they made it cheaper than it could be made in Sydney, where the workshops did not confine themselves to the manufacture of particular articles. Of course the larger population in Victoria enabled the Victorian workshops to work more into one another's way. The differences between the masters and workmen were not the only reason for the present somewhat depressed state of their industry, and these differences, he hoped, were now at an end. Three other reasons operated in this direction. One was the extension of the telegraph to Australia, placing them in instant communication with England. Another was the great increase in speed in communication since the coming here of steamers. And a third was the great circulation of trade catalogues, and the manufacture of special machinery in the old country. Trade circulars informed the public where they might obtain special machinery; by the telegraph they may order it; and, in three months, or less, they may have it at work in the colony, in less time than it could be made here. Therefore, for these special machines, it was not likely that they could for a long time compete with the old country. But any exceptional class of engineering work of first-class character could be, and is, done cheaper in the colony than in England; and although that might stagger many people, the reason was obvious. For first-class work of this character the English manufacturer would have a first-class price, and their profits for such work were higher than the manufacturers in this colony received. For the improvement of the engineering business in this colony they wanted each shop to go in for specialities to an extent much greater than they did at present. They wanted the continuance of a good understanding between the employers and the employed. They wanted to see their works started on a thorough footing, so that material to make up could be got in the colony of any shape, size, or form required. That was most important. And they also wanted the Government, when calling for tenders for engineering works, to give a reasonable notice, so that the works could be delivered from the colonial workshops. There were establishments here provided at an expense of thousands of pounds to do such work, and he trusted that when large Government contracts were required in the future, timely notice would be given, so as to enable the colonial engineers to place themselves in a position to deliver the work. Governments would not then have to excuse themselves for going abroad by saying that they could get no tenders in the colony. It was absolutely impossible to do the work here if sufficient notice were not given. If this were done by the Government he believed that the engineering profession in the colony would progress satisfactorily. He asked them to drink success to engineering progress in the colony.

Mr. J. LAING proposed "Success to the Manufacturing Industries of New South Wales." Among the industries carried on here in 1875, he found that, besides 161 flour mills, we had 919 manufactories of various kinds, including docks, engineering works, foundries, smelting works, saw-mills, tweed mills, sugar works, breweries, tanneries, tobacco factories, kerosene works, boot factories, steam joineries, coach and waggon factories, brick and tile factories, &c. In the same year we built 91 vessels, aggregating 6440 tons, manufactured of cloth and tweed 354,700 yards, 9,323,216 lbs. of soap, 1,326,536 lbs. of candles, 1,568,226 lbs. of tobacco, 25,219,036 lbs. of refined sugar, &c. And he would remind the company that, as engineers, we were directly or indirectly interested in every industry carried on in the colony—from the axe that fells the tree, the plough and harrow which prepared the ground for the seed, and the mill which grinds the grain and turns into food for man, pumps and machines to wash, dress, spin, and weave wool into clothing, up to railways, locomotives, and steamships to carry and distribute the various products. All these tools and machines are the produce of various branches of engineering. In fact, we were all so interwoven together in the present stage of civilization that when we were drinking to their success we were doing so to our own also. This he thought we could do by acquiring the necessary technical knowledge, and he urged on masters and workmen alike the necessity of putting the means of good technical instruction within the reach of all. It was only in this way that we could hope to keep a lead in the colonies against all comers. If properly trained, this could be done. Already colonial trained engineers were at the head of the two largest engineering establishments in Australia.

The toast having been duly honoured,

Alderman YOUNG responded for the manufacturing industries, and said that his experience in some respects had not been very fortunate. He had lost over £5000 in the paper works. One of the causes of the failure of those works was that the rags collected in Sydney and the country cost more for conveyance to Liverpool and back again as manufactured paper, than the whole freight to England. And another thing that impressed him was that when the company manufactured a very nice brown paper the importers in Sydney sold that kind of paper at a loss in order to knock the colonial article out of the market. The machinery used had, no doubt, much to do with the success of the manufacture, and he had no doubt that under the stimulus of technical training great improvements would be introduced, and success would crown their efforts. He remembered, with other gentlemen, some years ago, waiting upon Ministers on this subject of technical schools, and he did not believe that they understood what technical schools meant. (Laughter.) They might laugh, but it was only practical men who could be expected to know. To his mind there was a want of preparation in the various parts of machinery that showed that the work had not been thoroughly studied and put together, and therefore the machines were not equal in some cases to those obtained from the old country, where they made thousands, worked out on the proper proportions. If due attention were given to technical instruction, weak features of this kind in colonial engineering would be remedied. There was another thing he would tell them. In New South Wales there was excellent marble, which he had quarried and worked himself, but it did not answer satisfactorily, because it cost him more to get it from Marulan than it cost him to get marble from England and Italy. He floored the whole of the University with marble from Marulan and Bathurst at a cost of £3000, everything being done in the colony. That was more satisfactory than sending the money out of the country. But for that to be done regularly the freights on the railways should be favourable to these things. A friend of his had got large iron works on the mountains, and had every facility for manufacturing the iron. He asked his friend would he be able to make it answer, and the reply was that the freight down was so much. He said it was about 22s. per ton. Now, they knew that was more than the freight from England. Practical men were required in Parliament to remedy these things. How could they expect all sorts of political loafers to do it? (Laughter.) He had no doubt a better state of things would come about in time.

Mr. HUDSON also responded for the manufacturing industries, and said that he believed, that in comparison with Victoria, this colony possessed far greater manufacturing resources. There they had no coal, no iron, no timber. They could not grow sugar nor corn. From a late visit to Melbourne he could see that we were far ahead of them in the matter of saw-milling. However, we were certainly under the disadvantage of having insufficient labour.

Mr. J. TAYLOR proposed—"The Commercial and Shipping Interests of New South Wales."

Mr. G. R. DIBBS responded, and in doing so, pointed out that this colony had 50 per cent. more shipping than Victoria, and had far greater resources. All that was wanted to develop the manufacturing industries of this colony was the diffusion of elementary and technical education, together with a large population, and when they had these things their success would be assured. Some papers had been laid before Parliament, on his motion, on the subject of technical education in the colony; and they would see from them how little had been done. He did not think the Government would be justified in refusing this association a grant equal to one pound for every pound raised privately, as was given to schools of art, considering the valuable objects it served.

One or two other toasts were proposed and honoured. Several songs were interspersed between the speeches, and about 11 o'clock the company separated.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The fourth day's shooting in connection with the seventeenth annual meeting of the above-named Association took place on Saturday last, at the Rifle Butts, Paddington. The firing commenced at 8 o'clock, when shooting for the merchant's prizes was renewed, and the All Schools match was commenced. The weather was very satisfactory from dawn to sunset, and, in consequence of this, a larger number of spectators were were present than on previous days. The wind blew forward from the targets pretty strongly, but the light was good and steady, and the shooting on the whole was very commendable. There were 67 entries for the school prizes by representatives from Windsor, Parramatta, Richmond, and Sydney. The muzzle-loader was used in this match; but, notwithstanding that fact, the first prize was won with a good score of 18, by lance corporal Murray, of the Grammar School. The next contest was the Winners' Match, for which there were 20 entries; and, after this, came the Company Representative and Walker's Trophy competition. In connection with the latter match, private Freeman, of No. 1 Co., made the only highest possible score during the meeting at any one range except that for the Merchants' Prizes, at which it was made only once. Thirteen companies entered for the prizes, and all were present except the St. Leonards Company, who had to retire from the contest on account of the absence of one of their men. In the afternoon, when the International trophies were shot for, the number of spectators had increased very considerably. The Head-quarters Band were present and greatly enlivened the proceedings with some martial strains. The Scotch team proved the victors for the first time since the match was started, but the firing of the Australians was almost as good, there being only two points difference in that of both. There are still two contests to be decided, namely, the Artillery Garrison Gun Match and the Naval Brigade Garrison Gun Match. The latter will take place on Saturday next at Middle Head, but the arrangements for the other are not yet complete. These will bring to a termination a meeting that has been satisfactory in every respect. Nearly £1000 was collected for prizes, and the whole of the amount has been competed for in a manner that did credit to all concerned. Nothing occurred to affect the harmony of the proceedings, and the good feeling prevailing on all sides tended to make the meeting one of the most successful the Association has undertaken for many years past.

The following are the scores for Friday and Saturday:—

MATCH No. 4.—The Medal, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Open to all winners in Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Matches, with any rifle issued by the Government. Seven prizes: the medal of the National Rifle Association, and one prize at £6, one at £4, one at £3, and four at £2.

Private Sharpe, Kiama, medal and £5, 50 points
Private Rigney, No. 3, £4, 50 points
Private Newling, Parramatta, £3, 48 points
Ensign Cork, Ulladulla, £2, 48 points
Private M'Lean, Ulladulla, £2, 46 points
A. B. Killian, Naval Brigade, £2, 46 points
Sergeant-major Clarke, 9 Battery, £2, 45 points.

MATCH No. 7.—All Schools, open to all Cadets who were bona-fide school boys on September 30, 1877, with rifles issued to schools. Trophy, value £2, to the highest scorer, presented by Colonel Richardson; one prize at £5, one at £4, one at £3, one at £2, and six at £1.

Lance-corporal Murray, Grammar School, trophy and £5, 18 points
Corporal Walker, Windsor, £4, 16 points
Corporal Munroe, Newington, £3, 16 points
Cadet Stacey, Grammar School, £3, 15 points
Sergeant Price, Richmond, £1, 15 points
Corporal Cobcroft, Richmond, £1, 15 points
Corporal Hall, Windsor, £1, 15 points
Cadet Howard, Newington, £1, 15 points
Corporal Ryrie, King's School, £1, 14 points
Cadet J. F. Glasson, Newington, £1, 14 points.

In connection with the last foregoing match the Schools' Challenge Bugle, worth £30, was shot for by teams of ten each from various eligible schools. It is to be shot for annually, and in the present instance was won by representatives of the Newington school, who scored 108 points.

MATCH No. 18.—Honorary Members. 500 and 600 yards; five shots at each range. Open to any bona-fide honorary members of any battery or company, not being Volunteers, members of the Permanent Staff, or the New South Wales Artillery, with any military rifle issued by the Government. Six prizes—one at £6, one at £5, one at £3, and three at £2.

Mr. J. R. Linsley, No. 2 Company, £6, 33 points
Mr. J. Allerton, No. 2 Company, £5, 33 points
Mr. J. King, Kiama Company, £3, 31 points
Mr. T. Kearey, No. 5 Company, £2, 31 points
Mr. M. E. Robson, No. 1 Company, £2, 29 points
Mr. H. Uther, Kiama Company, £2, 27 points.

MATCH No. 17.—Company Representative and Walker Trophy. 500 and 600 yards; five shots at each. Each company or battery to send five representatives, 5 prizes—£15, £10, £7 10s., £5, £2 10s.—£40. To be equally divided between the members of the winning team. Trophy, value £25, presented by Mr. P. B. Walker (now held by No. 5 (South Sydney) Company, 2nd Regiment), to be held by the team making the highest aggregate score until next annual prize meeting, and to become the property of any corps winning it two years in succession or three years indiscriminately.

No. 1 Company, trophy and £15, 145 points
No. 2 Company, £10, 138 points
Newcastle Company, £7 10s., 137 points
Parramatta Company, £5, 133 points
No. 8 Company, £2 10s., 133 points.

No. 1 COMPANY.
Sergeant Sellar—500 yards, 17 points; 600 yards, 12 points: total, 29
Private H. L. Smith—500 yards, 17 points; 600 yards, 15 points: total, 32
Private W. Freeman—500 yards, 20 points; 600 yards, 14 points: total, 34
Lieutenant Finch—500 yards, 17 points; 600 yards, 11 points: total, 28
Sergeant Sheridan—500 yards, 15 points; 600 yards, 7 points: total, 22. Gross total, 145.

No. 2 COMPANY.
Sergeant Baxter—500 yards, 14 points; 600 yards, 13 points: total, 27
Corporal Halls—500 yards, 18 points; 600 yards, 16 points: total, 34
Private Wilson—500 yards, 15 points; 600 yards, 15 points: total, 30
Private Walker—500 yards, 13 points; 600 yards, 15 points: total, 28
Private Strong—500 yards, 12 points; 600 yards, 7 points: total, 19. Gross total, 138.

NEWCASTLE COMPANY.
Captain Brown—500 yards, 18 points; 600 yards, 12 points: total, 30
Lieutenant Arnott, 500 yards, 18 points; 600 yards, 8 points: total, 26
Sergeant Brett—500 yards, 13 points; 600 yards, 14 points: total, 27
Corporal Kidd—500 yards, 17 points; 600 yards, 7 points: total, 24
Private Thorne—500 yards, 17 points; 600 yards, 13 points: total, 30. Gross total, 137.

PARRAMATTA COMPANY.
Ensign Barnett—500 yards, 11 points; 600 yards, 16 points: total, 27
Private Newling—500 yards, 16 points; 600 yards, 14 points: total, 30
Private Macdonald—500 yards, 11 points; 600 yards, 11 points: total, 22
Sergeant Ferris—500 yards, 15 points; 600 yards, 15 points: total, 30
Private Crouch—500 yards, 14 points; 600 yards, 10 points: total, 24. Gross total, 133.

No. 8 COMPANY.
Captain Smith—500 yards, 18 points; 600 yards, 14 points—32
Sergeant Furness—500 yards, 13 points; 600 yards, 15 points—28
Private Clark—500 yards, 15 points; 600 yards, 15 points—30
Private Rigney—500 yards, 15 points; 600 yards, 10 points—25
Private Lutton—500 yards, 9 points; 600 yards, 9 points—18. Total, 133.

MATCH No. 9.—INTERNATIONAL.
500 and 600 yards, ten shots at each range. England, Scotland, Ireland, and Australia to send eight representatives each; Henry rifle; entry nil. Prize £20 for trophies for the winning team.

SCOTCH TEAM.—Captained by Mr. John Sutherland.
Captain Smith, No. 8 Co.—500 yards, 4312433333—32 points; 600 yards, 2332433342—29 points; total, 61 points
Lieutenant Arnott, Newcastle.—500 yards, 3433432433—32 points; 600 yards, 3333332143—31 points; total, 63 points
Corporal Kidd, Newcastle.—500 yards, 2423420213—26 points; 600 yards, 3234434333—31 points; total, 57 points
Lieutenant D. Fraser, No. 2 Highlanders.—500 yards, 3323334422—29 points; 600 yards, 3424322023—25 points; total, 54 points
Sergeant Sellar, No. 1 Co.—500 yards, 3232103233—25 points; 600 yards, 3233243333—29 points; total, 54 points
Sergeant-Major Mitchell, No. 7 Battery.—500 yards, 2334333342—30 points; 600 yards, 3233443333—31 points; total, 61 points
Private Walker, No. 2 Co.—500 yards, 3423332333—29 points; 600 yards, 4433443424—35 points; total, 64 points
Private Macdonald, Parramatta.—500 yards, 3342434033—29 points; 600 yards, 3323314143—33 points; total, 62 points. Gross total, 476 points.

AUSTRALIAN TEAM.—Captained by Captain John Cooper.
Lieutenant D'Arietta, No. 5 Co.—500 yards, 4424234323—31 points; 600 yards, 3244424433—33 points; total, 64 points
Sergeant Rice, No. 5 Co.—500 yards, 3334344233—32 points; 600 yards, 0222343440—24 points; total, 56 points
Private Sharp, Kiama.—500 yards, 4313240344—31 points; 600 yards, 3234342330—27 points; total, 58 points
Colour-Sergeant West, No. 6 Co.—500 yards, 3332242222—26 points; 600 yards, 3331301433—30 points; total, 56 points.
Lieutenant Finch, No. 1 Co.—500 yards, 4302432443—29 points; 600 yards, 3232042334—26 points; total, 55 points
Private Nelson, No. 3 Co.—500 yards, 4324324434—33 points; 600 yards, 3233402333—26 points; total, 39 points
Ensign Cork, Ulladulla—500 yards, 3233343143—32 points; 600 yards, 3133143443—35 points; total, 67 points
Private D. Clark, No. 8 Co.—500 yards, 3333444443—35 points; 600 yards, 3032323333—24 points; total, 59 points.
Gross total, 474 points.

ENGLISH TEAM.—Captained by Lieutenant Walker.
Captain Compton, Staff.—500 yards, 4243434334—34 points; 600 yards, 4443342403—31 points; total, 65 points
Private Holme, S. Sydney.—500 yards, 4223433323—29 points; 600 yards, 0233030230—16 points; total, 45 points
Private Smith, No. 1 Co.—500 yards, 2342330044—25 points; 600 yards, 4323443344—34 points; total, 59 points
Private Slade, No. 1 Co.—500 yards, 2324443222—28 points; 600 yards, 3443343222—30 points; total, 58 points
Colour-Sergeant Gee, No. 5 Co.—500 yards, 4342244032—29 points; 600 yards, 3133243302—27 points; total, 56 points
Corporal Halls, No. 2 Co.—500 yards, 4243444333—34 points; 600 yards, 4343344033—31 points; total, 65 points
Private Newling, Parramatta.—500 yards, 3334433123—32 points; 600 yards, 3233330433—27 points; total, 59 points
Colour-sergeant Honey, Kiama.—500 yards, 2324224204—25 points; 600 yards, 4324423334—32 points; total, 57 points. Gross total, 464 points.

IRISH TEAM.—Captained by Mr. John Marks.
Sergeant Sheridan, No. 1 Co.—500 yards, 4022000002—10 points; 600 yards, 3434223302—26 points; total, 36 points
Sergeant Baxter, No. 2 Co.—500 yards, 3242303403—24 points; 600 yards, 3232230332—24 points; total, 48 points
Corporal Ahern, No. 6 Co.—500 yards, 3243302422—25 points; 600 yards, 3123423434—32 points; total, 57 points
Private Black, Kiama.—500 yards, 4304224324—29 points; 600 yards, 2223444422—29 points; total, 58 points
Captain Wilson, staff.—500 yards, 0000023332—16 points; 600 yards, 2324402230—22 points; total, 38 points
Ensign Sloan, West Maitland—500 yards, 3234344443—34 points; 600 yards, 2243442333—30 points; total, 64 points
Ensign George, No. 7 Co.—500 yards, 3342404344—31 points; 600 yards, 4333440342—30 points; total, 61 points
Mr. Denning, honorary member—500 yards, 3434333332—31 points; 600 yards, 2333313444—33 points; total, 64 points. Gross total, 426 points.

ELECTION RUMOURS.

In addition to the notifications already published, we add the following:—

Telegrams from Newcastle, received on Saturday evening, say:—"Dr. Bowker addressed a large meeting from the verandah of the Ship Inn, and spoke for one hour. On the motion of Mr. Fleming, sen., seconded by Mr. Tully, French Consul, it was resolved that he was a fit and proper person, &c., to represent the electorate. Mr. J. W. Hungerford followed by addressing the electors from the balcony of the Criterion Hotel. He received great support and a patient hearing.

Mr. Piott and Mr. Alderman Oatley have been requested to allow themselves to be nominated for Canterbury, and we believe it is the intention of Mr. Richard Hill to again ask the suffrages of the electors for that constituency.

Mr. Teece will appeal to his old constituents, the electors of Goulburn; and the names of Mr. Davis and Mr. Horne have been mentioned in connection with the same electorate.

Efforts will be made to induce Mr. J. T. Gannon to come forward as the successor of Mr. Butler, for Argyle.

Mr. A. S. Hamilton, the phrenologist, has offered himself as a candidate for West Sydney.

Mr. William Johnston seeks re-election for the Williams, and Mr. Bennett and Mr. M'Elhone will "run" again for Liverpool Plains and the Upper Hunter respectively.

Mr. Cohen will stand again for West Maitland, and Mr. Scholey for East Maitland.

Mr. Tunks's name is mentioned as a candidate in opposition to Mr. Farnell for St. Leonards.

Mr. Sutherland will be a candidate for Paddington, which he has represented for many years; and Mr. Marks, formerly member for Kiama, is spoken of as a possible opponent.

Mr. Robert Wisdom will seek re-election for Morpeth, and Mr. Jacob for the Lower Hunter.

The *Goulburn Herald* of Saturday says that a note received from the Rev. D. P. M. Hulbert announces that this gentleman will be a candidate for the representation of Argyle, and that his address will shortly appear. Mr. P. A. Jennings, formerly a member of the Legislature, has also been spoken of.

Mr. J. J. Wright is understood to be the favourite candidate for Queanbeyan. He is opposed by Mr. W. G. O'Neill.

WANT OF LABOUR. — Our attention, says the *Manning River Times*, has been drawn to the fact that enough of labour to meet the present demand is not obtainable in this district. Employers say that work which ought to be performed at once has to be deferred or left undone, and that they have to submit to loss and inconvenience, because they cannot get a sufficient number of workmen to proceed as they would wish with their contracts. We think they should communicate with the Government on the matter, and ask that some of the newly-arrived immigrants be sent here. It is very pleasing to know that there is work for all, and that labourers can get a fair remuneration for their toil, but we do not think it is advantageous to this district to have labour so scarce that necessary works must either stand still or occupy an unreasonable period of time in their completion. Enough of labour to meet the demand for it would not in any way prove injurious, but would on the contrary prove in every respect beneficial.

THE VITALITY OF THE SNAKE.—A rather strange accident (writes the Marong correspondent of the *Bendigo Advertiser*) occurred near Mr. Morrow's farm at Burnt Gully on Thursday last. A large and envenomed snake was enjoying the warmth of the sun and revelling in the dust of the road to such an extent that his leisurely crawl was not sufficient to prevent his being run over by a spring cart, the wheel of which cut the noxious reptile in two. A dog immediately afterwards attacked the most formidable part, which was even then, in its severed state, over 3 feet long, and, to the horror of the owner of the canine pet, the head and the part of the body of the snake coiled round the poor animal, which shortly afterwards died. The snake was over 5 feet in length, of the black species, and evidently very venomous. Several others have already been killed in this locality, and it behoves people to look to their feet when they are walking through the bush.

DENILIQUIN.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

DURING the last few days the weather has been disagreeably hot and close. To-day (9th instant) the wind has changed to the south, and the atmosphere is much cooler. Shearing is now in full swing, and large quantities of wool are every week being unloaded at the railway-station for conveyance to Melbourne. On the whole I believe the yield of wool is better than was anticipated, but the quantity which will be sent from this district this season will, it is calculated, be considerably less than previous years, owing to the losses of stock which have occurred, and the unusual quantity of sheep which have been sent forward to market through scarcity of feed and water during the recent drought. At present the country is looking very well, and cattle and sheep are rapidly gaining in condition. The only sale of stock reported here since my last communication is 3200 wethers (by Mr. James Mann, in conjunction with Messrs. W. and J. Raleigh, of Melbourne), on account of Mr. William Officer, of Zara station, to Messrs. Frearson and Bingley. The following lots of fat sheep and cattle have passed through:—2nd instant: 2500 wethers (Robertson's), from Toganmain; and 4000 (Rowe's), from Queensland for Melbourne, and consigned to Messrs. King and Cunninghame. 5th instant: 438 fat cattle (Watson's), from Woolondool, for the Sandhurst market. 6th instant: 340 fat cattle, from Cultowa, trucked to Melbourne. 8th instant: 1100 fat sheep (O'Shanassy's); 650 ditto (Tomkins's); 300 ditto (Nash's); 250 ditto (Taylor's); 250 ditto (Hanlon's); 120 ditto (Holmes's); and 250 ditto (Pearse's)—all trucked here for the Melbourne market of the 16th instant. 280 fat cattle, from Winbar, will be trucked here on the 16th instant, and several flocks of sheep are also approaching, intended for Victorian markets.

The shooting case at Warbreccan, in which David Thomson was charged with shooting at and wounding Isaac Falkener, has not been set at rest by the committal of the former. The tables have been turned against Falkener, who, as soon as he was sufficiently recovered from the effects of his wound, was taken into custody on the charge of shooting at Thompson with intent to murder him. On this charge he was brought before the Bench on Friday last, 5th instant. Sergeant Johnson deposed to the arrest of Falkener, and Mr. Rosenfeld, of the firm of Rosenfeld, Brothers (storekeepers, at Deniliquin), on being sworn, stated that on Friday, the 21st ultimo (the day on which the wages case between the two men had been heard at the Police Court), the prisoner came to his store to buy a revolver. Mr. Rosenfeld sold him one which he believed to be identical with the one found in the possession of the prisoner; he also sold him a box of caps and packet of revolver cartridges. Charles Harrison, an ex-constable of police, and present landlord of the Dublin Hotel at Deniliquin, deposed that on the afternoon of the same day the prisoner (Falkener) came to the hotel and requested witness to write down on paper that he (Falkener) had left a swag at Mrs. Kearney's Hotel, and a portmanteau at Young's Railway Hotel, also the address of his friends who reside at Clunes, Victoria; he said that he was going out into the bush again, and witness asked him why he did not take his swag with him; Falkener replied, in an excited way, "I don't think I shall want it; I have some valuable papers in my portmanteau that I should like my friends to get if anything occurred; I have been swindled out of my wages, and such things occur as men being found dead in the bush;" witness said, "You surely don't meditate suicide because you have lost a few pounds;" Falkener said something in reply about men dying from sunstroke; witness then said "You don't mean to travel far if you don't take your swag." He wrote down the particulars as to the swag and portmanteau as requested by Falkener, and also the address of his friends, and when he had done so Falkener bid him good-bye, in an excited manner, and left the hotel. At this stage, the prisoner was remanded for eight days, for further evidence for the prosecution.

The criminal business at the Circuit Court is not heavy, there are only about six cases for trial. There are some important civil actions to be heard, among which are the trespass actions of Ricketson v. Barbour, and Johnson v. Sloane.

A requisition is being signed here, asking Mr. William Officer, J.P., of Zara Station, to allow himself to be nominated at the approaching general election as a candidate for the representation of the Murray district in Parliament. The requisition has already received a large number of signatures, and I hear that Mr. Officer is almost certain to accept the invitation. He is very popular, and in regard to his fitness, I think there are few men in the district who could represent it more ably, or would do so more honestly than Mr. Officer. There is, however, a large class here to whom representation by any squatter would be looked upon with the greatest disfavour, and who would, of course, give in their adherence to Mr. Barbour, the chosen representative of the Free Selectors Association. Although Mr. Officer has a good chance of success, he will, should he decide upon coming forward as a candidate, have to encounter a powerful and determined opposition. Already Mr. Barbour's supporters are taking active steps to secure the return of their chosen candidate, and a preliminary meeting was held by them at the Commercial Hotel last Thursday evening, when Mr. Barbour gave a brief address, and promised to give a fuller explanation of his views at an early date. The meeting was poorly attended, and the proceedings on the whole were very tame, but to-night Mr. Barbour, in accordance with the promise mentioned, will have a meeting at the Town Hall, when there will probably be a good attendance, as many will doubtless desire to hear his views on the various questions of public policy which are likely to come before the new Parliament.

There was only one conditional purchase made at the Land office on Thursday, viz: F. H. Miller, 320 acres, county Wakool, parish Millum.

LITHGOW.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

IT is again my painful duty to record a chapter of accidents, and in one case death unfortunately was the result. It appears a lad named Robert Bones, residing at Wallerawang, aged about 10 years, some short time ago received a blow on the head from a cricket ball, and which made a rather dangerous wound. On Saturday last he was playing with some of his usual playfellows, and whilst doing so he stood on his head, and performed similar feats common to boys, and whilst engaged in one of the acts the blood rushed to his head, and he died very shortly after.

The snakes are beginning to assert themselves already though the season is not yet very far advanced, and several have been killed. The second accident I have to chronicle happened in this way, but fortunately with very slight injury to the party. A man named Garish was out shooting the other day, when he happened to see a very large black snake. He went to get a stick to kill it, but as he stooped to pick it up he almost touched another; drawing back he picked up his gun, and taking aim at the one he first saw, and which was by far the largest one, he fired, and the gun burst flying in pieces around him, the stock being blown clean away. Strange to say he escaped without any serious injury, the only thing being a slight graze from the kicking of the gun, which will not signify.

Now that the elections are imminent a good deal of discussion is going on as to who is to represent us in the new Parliament. Several names are spoken of as likely to contest the electorate.

The weather continues mild with occasional showers. On Wednesday a hailstorm passed over, and fears were entertained that the young fruit which is now forming fast would be destroyed, but it did not continue any length of time so that they escaped. The hail was accompanied by very vivid lightning and heavy peals of thunder. It is still cloudy and with every indication of rain.

GLEBE ABATTOIRS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—Unavoidably absent from the meeting held at Balmain on the 9th instant, touching the advisableness of "taking steps for the removal of the abattoirs from Glebe Island, and thereby preventing the flow into the harbour of offensive matter," may I solicit a space in your columns for a few words upon the subject.

In the first place, I contend that the site selected for the abattoirs was about the very worst spot which could have been determined upon, for although there was at the time but a sparsely scattered population in its immediate vicinity, still its contiguity to the Glebe, Balmain, Pyrmont, and Blackwattle Swamp Bay was morally certain (as the sequel has proved) to be an interminable nuisance, materially affecting the health of the surrounding neighbourhoods, as well as the value of property.

It was stated, *inter alia*, by a Minister (I think Sir Henry Parkes) to a deputation that it would cost £30,000 to remove, *i.e.*, build new abattoirs, and this was looked upon as a great and grave objection, if not a stumbling-block, although it seemed to be conceded that their removal was only a question of time.

The population of Sydney and its suburbs is increasing year by year, and proportionately the gigantic nuisance continuously arising from the abattoirs sends forth silently but surely its pestiferous effluvia.

May I ask why is the Government bound to erect places for slaughtering, any more than building stores for other occupations, trades, or callings?

Admitting that, through non-compliance with well-known sanitary rules and laws, public health is thereby endangered, vigilant supervision and frequent inspection of our abattoirs are necessary, still this is insufficient to justify the *concentration* of an evil from which flow discomfort, sickness, and death.

I am of opinion that with the thermometer not infrequently over 100° Fah., our abattoirs should be *temporary* erections, and of wood, as formerly—burnt, say, every ten years—wood or stone becoming in a greater or lesser degree affected, as well as the yards, by the malarious atmosphere within their precincts.

Let the Government allot and lease certain areas of land suitable for slaughter-houses, the butchers erecting them at their own cost. Where the hardship or where the loss to the State?

I fancy the Government will have no difficulty in determining to what use to appropriate the present abattoirs, and I trust that the matter now taken up for the third or fourth time will be agitated until success is attained—not forgetting we have an able advocate in the member for the Glebe (Sir G. W. Allen), who has done all in his power for the rectification and abolition of this *admittedly intolerable nuisance*.

W. T. PINHEY.

Bishopthorpe, Glebe, October 11.

ACCOMMODATION FOR LARGE PUBLIC MEETINGS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—It must have impressed many, as it did myself at last night's meeting in the Masonic Hall, that Sydney greatly needs a proper building for such public meetings, possessing much larger capacity and better acoustic arrangements than any now existing in Sydney. Your reporter justly remarks that the hall last night was crowded to the doors, and it might have been added that many went away disappointed. There was also overcrowding, and noise, and confusion, very disturbing to the speakers and audience. At such a meeting it was very desirable that the ardent and sympathetic feeling of the people of Sydney should have been manifested as clearly as possible by a large, attentive, and responsive audience. As it was, the result is very gratifying, and the warm expression of patriotic and philanthropic feeling then given is but the first droppings, to be followed by copious showers, in aid of our suffering fellow-subjects and fellow-men in the day of their sore calamity. It is, however, to be regretted that a still larger representation of the people of Sydney at this meeting was prevented by the limited capacity of the hall. A similar regret must have been felt on the recent occasion of Dr. Somerville's visit and services, when no suitable building could be found capable of holding the vast concourse that daily flocked to his services.

May I place this suggestion before those of your readers who are able to give practical attention to the matter, that a company be formed to erect such a building while a suitable site may readily be obtained, such as that in the Haymarket reserve, where entrances could be made all around.

Petersham, October 12. S. E.

OUR LAND SYSTEM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR,—For a length of time there have been, by various parties, numerous complaints against the working of our present land law, and as the colony is now on the eve of a general election, it seems to me a fitting time to bring this question once more prominently before the public.

It is not my wish or intention in any way to find fault with the author of the Act of 1861, for I give him credit for having been actuated with the desire to benefit his fellow-colonists, at the same time I trust I may be permitted to remark that in my humble opinion the Act has never wholly fulfilled what I imagine were the intentions and wishes of its author. No one for a moment will deny but that it has done some good, but this is counteracted by the fact that it has tended to set class against class, that it has failed in bringing a large and desirable class of immigrants to our shores, and that the best lands in many instances, the very pick of the country, are passing away *into the hands of a few at a figure far below their value*.

Such, then, being the case, as one who takes a very deep interest in the welfare of this country, I would suggest that a meeting be called by some of our leading and influential citizens with the view of eliciting opinions on this subject, in order to frame, if possible, a plan for the better management and bona-fide settlement of the waste lands of the country.

For my own part, although I know my views will meet with much opposition, I have not any hesitation in stating that I am entirely opposed to the alienation of the public estate, and am of opinion that, by a judicious leasing of the lands on a just and equitable basis, a large revenue may annually be derived which would go a very long way to, and in time might perhaps entirely defray the expenses of government. I enclose my card and address.

AMICUS.

Mr. Winzar, cashier to the Indian Famine Relief Fund, now being raised at the Mansion House, called the attention of Sir Robert Carden to the fact that he had received several letters from City merchants and others enclosing circulars they had received asking them for subscriptions in aid of the fund, and signed by persons unknown to the Lord Mayor, and having no authority from the Mansion House Committee. Under these circumstances Mr. Winzar thought it right to caution the public against paying contributions to unknown persons. Sir Robert Carden said he had no doubt that all due publicity would be given in the public Press to the caution which it had become necessary to make; adding that any persons who wished to assist the fund had only to present themselves before the committee at the Mansion House, who would give all due effect to their wishes in that respect.

The weekly return of metropolitan pauperism shows that the total number of paupers at the end of the second week in August was 76,862, of whom 36,212 were in workhouses and 40,650 received out-door relief. Compared with the corresponding week of 1876 these figures show an increase of 5, but as compared with the corresponding weeks of 1875 and 1874 they show a decrease of 5898 and 14,832 respectively. The number of vagrants relieved on the last day of the week was 728, of whom 478 were men, 199 women, and 51 children under sixteen.

Mr. Charles Bradlaugh and Mrs. Besant spoke at Bristol, at a meeting called by the Malthusian League. The proprietors of the Colston Hall refused to let either of their halls for the meeting, and it was held at the Hall of Freedom, situated in an outlying district of the city. Mr. Bradlaugh said that the sale of his pamphlet used to be about a hundred a year, but since the prosecution of himself and Mrs. Besant over 130,000 copies had been sold. He stated that he should carry the case, if necessary, to the House of Lords; and if beaten there he would go to Holloway gaol, and still continue to publish the book.

A few days ago a frightful tragedy took place near Hanley, the victim again being a woman. For some time past George Jones, aged forty-five, manager of a pottery furnace, has been living with a woman named Harriet Baker, his niece, nineteen years of age. He has on several occasions threatened and ill-used the girl, and was very jealous of her, but it was never suspected that he had any intention of committing such a horrible crime as that now perpetrated. The other afternoon he was sitting at home with her, and suddenly asked the landlady of the house to go out for a quart of ale, which that person accordingly did. She had scarcely quitted the house when Jones, taking a clasp knife from his pocket seized his wretched niece by the hair, and pulling her head backwards, drew the blade of the knife across her throat, nearly severing her head from her body. When she saw the knife she shrieked out, "Oh, Lord!" and the neighbours came flocking into the house. Jones, flourishing the knife over his head, rushed into the street, but was pursued, and, after a sharp chase, captured and conveyed to the police-station, where he produced the knife and said, "That's what I did it with."

Dr. Conneau, private physician to the late Emperor Napoleon, died at Porta, Corsica. Dr. Conneau was born at Milan of French parents in 1803. While a medical student he became secretary to Louis Bonaparte, the ex-King of Holland, and afterwards practised as a doctor in Rome. After the insurrection of 1831, he left Rome and became household physician to Queen Hortense, Louis Napoleon's mother. He took part in the abortive Boulogne invasion, was imprisoned with the Prince in the fort of Ham, and contributed materially to his escape. He remained with the Prince in England, and returned with him to France after the revolution of 1848. When the empire was established Dr. Conneau was appointed principal physician to the household. In 1852 he was returned to the Corps Legislatif as a Government candidate for the Somme, and was made a senator in 1867.

The *Agricultural Gazette* publishes a large number of reports from correspondents in all parts of England, Scotland, and Ireland, from which the reader can gather a trustworthy impression regarding the current harvest. It is plain from these that 1877 will prove no exception to the succession of unfortunate harvests which we have of late years experienced. The wheat crop is certainly very generally and very largely below an average. Oats and winter beans seem the best grain crops of the year. On the other hand, it has been, and is, a great year for the grazier and dairy farmer. All kinds of cattle food are, and have been, and promise to be, unusually abundant. Potatoes, which have also been so promising, are now very generally threatened with disease. The hay crop has been abundant, and in all the early districts it has been well secured.

At the Bow-street Police Court a barrister named F. R. Frith Banbury was committed for trial on the charge of obtaining money by false pretences and committing bigamy. It was shown that the prisoner had in 1872 married a lady named Tibbets, by whom he had had two children, but in 1876 he formed an acquaintance with a barmaid named Emma Hodges, to whom he represented himself as divorced from his wife, and induced her to go through the form of marriage with him. While they were living together he drew, it was asserted, some cheques, which were dishonoured, and obtained £40 from Miss Hodges.

Mr. Gladstone having been asked by a correspondent to let his voice be heard on the atrocities charged to the Russians, as he had formerly done with respect to those alleged against the Turks, the right hon. gentleman replied under date August 10, as follows:—"Sir: I feel that your letter is conceived in the spirit of justice as well as of humanity. We have in these cases to ascertain, first, that the events have really occurred; and, secondly, who were the doers. The people of this country remained quiet last year about the Bulgarian atrocities until both were ascertained. This is not, so far as I know, the case at present. The shameless, wholesale lying of the Turkish Government deprives its allegations of all claim to value. There is, however, I think, evidence enough of many cruel and horrible deeds. I myself should be most thankful to any one who would give me the means of judging whether they were due to Russians or to Bulgarians.—Yours faithfully, W. E. GLADSTONE."

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

THE CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE THAMES.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

HIGGINS beat Boyd to-day by four lengths.

PEDESTRIAN FEAT.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

William Gale completed his pedestrian feat on Saturday.

MDLLE. TITIENS.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

The remains of Mdlle. Titiens, the great operatic singer, were interred to-day at Kensal Green.

THE PENGE MURDER CASE.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

The Penge convicts have made a statement denying any ill-treatment of their victim. The execution of the four condemned persons is fixed for the 13th instant.

FRESH PROSECUTION AGAINST GAMBETTA.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

A manifesto from M. Gambetta has provoked a fresh prosecution.

THE TURKISH PRESS AGAINST ENGLAND.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

A violent article against England in the Turkish papers has been disavowed by the Grand Vizier.

THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

Sulieman Pasha has deposed Ahmet Eyoub Pasha, and ordered him to return to Constantinople.

Three days' fighting in Armenia resulted in a Russian repulse, with enormous losses. The Grand Duke Michael commanded in person.

Kars is being revictualled.

Operations in Bulgaria have been suspended in consequence of bad weather.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS TO AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS.

PROPOSED DUPLICATE CABLE.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

Colonel Glover leaves England shortly for Australia, on behalf of the Eastern Extension Company, with a view to negotiate with the colonies for a duplicate cable. He will be empowered to offer special privileges for Press messages.

THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

A despatch from Moukhta Pasha states that the Russians have evacuated the positions which were parallel to those occupied by the Turks, and are retiring to Arpachai. The loss during the three days was 15,000 Russians, 2500 Turks.

Russian sappers and miners continue the siege works at Plevna, although it is rainy and stormy weather.

SERVIA AND TURKEY.

LONDON, OCTOBER 8.

The Servian diplomatic agent at Stamboul has renewed pacific assurances.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

GULGONG.

SATURDAY.

William Binder, an ex-publican, has been missing from home for three days. He having twice offered himself to the police, fears are apprehended for his safety. Every effort made to find him has been hitherto ineffectual.

BODALLA.

SATURDAY.

The trout ova imported through Mr. John Stuart, Marrickville, is resulting well, a large number of the young trout being now an inch long. There were scarcely any bad eggs.

BRISBANE.

SATURDAY.

The services of the immigration lecturers in Ireland and Scotland are to be shortly discontinued.

Conway has accepted the proposal of the Cricket Association for a match with the combined team.

The escort left Maytown with 8000 oz.

SAILED.—Leichardt (s.), for Sydney.

MELBOURNE.

SATURDAY.

The Women's Home will be opened on Monday, suitable premises having been secured.

A sum of £160 remaining over from the return ball is to be appropriated to a presentation to the Mayoress.

Some valuable draught stock arrived per Durham.

The Famine Fund has now reached over £8000.

A strong hot wind is blowing, with clouds of dust.

QUEENSCLIFF.

SATURDAY.

ARRIVED.—Fanny, schooner, from Newcastle.

SAILED.—At 1.30, Hero (s.), for Sydney.

BALLARAT.

SATURDAY.

The yield for the week at the Band and Albion mine was 27 oz. 17 dwts.

ADELAIDE.

SATURDAY.

The Government has received a telegram announcing the shipment of a large quantity of material for the different railways.

The ship Hyderabad sails in November, with 360 emigrants.

South Australian branches of the New South Wales and London Chartered Banks are to be opened here shortly.

Wheat is without change.

HOBART TOWN.

SATURDAY.

Two scenes occurred in the Assembly between Mr. Meredith and the Premier, and between Mr. Bromby and Mr. Giblin. In the refreshment-room the Premier challenged Mr. Giblin, after calling him a coward. Mr. Giblin reminded him that they were in the precincts of the House, but Mr. Bromby said he did not care, and asked Mr. Giblin to name a place and time.

CITY MISSION.—The monthly meeting of the committee was held at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on Thursday, the 11th instant; Mr. W. Foster in the chair. The treasurer stated that there was an overdraft at the bank of £5 7s. 7d. Rev. A. Burdett, joint hon. secretary, expressed the hearty thanks of the missionaries for the addition of 10 per cent. to their salaries. The summary of the work of the missionaries for the month showed that 3221 visits and calls had been made; 948 persons ministered to; 632 visits made to the sick; 3439 tracts had been distributed; 69 pledges given; 53 mission meetings held; 13 destitute persons relieved; 26 children sent to school; 36 persons induced to attend a place of worship; and 3 girls had been taken to the Refuge

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MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING.

THE Customs' duties received to-day were as follows:—

Spirits	£551 5 8
Wine (still)	74 8 0
Ale, porter, and beer (in wood) ...	4 19 0
— (in bottle) ...	11 19 3
Tobacco and snuff	65 12 0
Tea	41 18 6
Sugar (unrefined)	157 10 9
Molasses	0 4 3
Rice	144 11 1
Dried fruits	37 11 7
Specific duty	365 14 9
Harbour and light dues ...	1 15 8
Total	£1403 4 9

The value of the Imports at the port of Sydney for the week ended the 6th October, 1877, amounted to £176,646, of which the principal items are:—Apparel and drapery, £56,954; brandy, £905; boots and shoes, £7181; candles, £324; copper, £7585; coin (silver), £1716; dried fruits, £902; flour, £1676; gold, £5494; malt, £1460; nickel ore, £375; oilmen's stores, £5039; preserved meats, £7224; sugar, £2932; silks, £3727; skins and hides, £3949; tallow, £2437; tin ore, £3846; timber, £1207; wheat, £5845; wool, £2020.

The value of Exports from the port of Sydney for the same period amounted to £298,135, of which the principal items are:—Gold coin, £134,177; wool, £11,125; drapery, £5506; sugar, £4793; silver coin, £4338; fancy goods, £3084; tea, £2827; fruit, green, £203, dried, £753 — £2788; maize, £2453; tobacco, £2226; regulus, £1700; boots, £1999; brandy, £1550; jewellery, £1458; hardware, £1409; gold bars, £1337; nickel ore, £1085; books and stationery, £1000; oil stores, £729; saddlery, £821; live stock, £652; musical instruments, £566; molasses, £534; hides, £465; wheat, £480; machinery, £469; flour, £414; furniture, £400; oils, £391.

The following table shows the value of imports and exports at the port of Sydney from January 1 to September 29, 1876 and 1877:—

	1876. Imports.	1876. Exports.	1877. Imports.	1877. Exports.
Jan. 1 to September 29	£8,897,217	£5,957,414	£9,34[illegible],517	£6,469,107
October 6	305,189	78,955	176,646	298,135
	£9,202,406	£6,036,369	£9,502,163	£6,758,242

A portion of the Suez mail was received overland from Melbourne this morning, and the balance is expected per Avoca (s.) to-morrow. During the month of August colonial securities were not quite so firm in the London market, and, with the exception of an advance of £2 in New South Wales Interminables, Government debentures were lower. Queensland and Victorian 4 per cents. of recent issue appear to have suffered most. The unsettled state of the money market was expected to effect further changes. The latest quotations were:—New South Wales fives, 108½-109½; interminables, 105-107; fours, 101-103; Victorian sixes, 110½-120; fives, 108½-109½; fours, 97½-97¾; Queensland sixes, 108-118; fours, 93½-93¾; South Australian sixes, 110-120; fives, 107-109; fours, 96¾-97; Tasmanian sixes, 115-117; New Zealand fives, 101½-105; four and a half, 96¾-97¼; Bank of Australasia, 81-83; Union, 64-65; Oriental, 44½-45½; London Chartered, 28½-29½; English, Scottish, and Australian, 26-27; New South Wales, 59-51; New Zealand, 24½-25½.

Messrs. H. Schwartze and Co.'s wool circular of August 29 says:—

On the opening night and during the first eight or ten days of the series prices were about on a par with the best rates of last series. Super scoured wools commanded even an advance of ½d to 1d per lb., and generally speaking there was this characteristic feature that the best classes of wool tended in favour of sellers, while the middle and inferior ones inclined in that of buyers. The competition was brisk, and the home trade especially bought freely. This position of things has not been maintained during the last few days. Owing probably to the immediate requirements of the home buyers being supplied, the competition is less brisk, and the reserve of the foreign trade continuing, there is a weaker tone in the sales. Scoured has lost its favoured position, and is, both for good and inferior sorts, 1d cheaper than at the best point. Middle fleece and grease, especially New Zealand, are not dear, and wool generally may be described as easier of purchase, the best combing classes alone excepted. Cape wool, notwithstanding the moderate level of its value, has lost ground, and must for grease be quoted ½d, for fleece and scoured 1d lower than at the best point. The tone in the sales varies with the selection of wool offered; and while somewhat halting and irregular when inferior wools are sold, it is brisk where the best classes are concerned.

Upon other Australian produce Messrs. Goad, Rigg, and Co., writing on August 30, report:—

Since our report of the 30th ultimo, the tallow market has been depressed, with little business doing, and the value of all descriptions has declined, the quotation to-day for Russian Y. C. being 43s on the spot, and 42s for delivery, the last three months of this year. Although the quantity of Australian tallow brought to public sale during the month has been small, the demand has been very sluggish, the total sales by private and public being confined to 2760 casks. The present value of good to fine mutton is 41s 9d to 42s 6d, and fair to fine beef tallow, 39s 6d to 41s, being 1s for the former and 1d per cwt. lower for the latter than on the 31st ultimo. Latterly the demand has run on the middling and inferior descriptions, whilst the better sorts have been neglected. Import during the month, 1427 casks. Present stock in first hands about 1900 casks. Hides: The market generally has been quiet, but there has been a fair demand for Australian, and prices are rather better than at the close of last month. The sales comprise 6704 hides; Sydney heavy ox average 55½ to 59½ lbs. at 4½d to 5⅞d per lb., light 4-½ to 49 lbs at 4½d to 4⅞d per lb., 2nd 4d to 4⅝d; cow, 40½ to 46⅝ lbs at 4½d to 4⅞d per lb., 2nd 3½d per lb.; kip, 17½ lbs at 3⅞d per lb., 3rd 4d per lb; Brisbane heavy ox average 60 lbs at 5⅛d, light 41½ to 51½d lbs at 4⅞d per lb; cow, 4-½ to 48½ lbs at 4⅞d to 4½d per lb: 1210 salted horse, heavy, average 21½ to 22½ lbs at 7s 2d to 7s 6d, light 11½ to 15½ lbs at 4s to 4s 5d each. Leather: There has been a fair, though not active, demand, at about late rates, the tendency of prices, however, being rather in favour of buyers. Basils have sold well, and are about 1s 4d per lb. dearer. The sales comprise about 35,000 sides leather. First class, 9⅛d and 11⅛d; second class, 9d to 9⅛d; extra heavy, 9⅛d to 11⅛d; light, 9⅛d to 10d per lb. Basils: Strained, best, average 8⅛ to 12 lbs., 9d to 12⅛d; second class, 7⅛ to 11⅛ lbs., 7⅛ to 9⅜d; third class, 7⅛ to 9½ lbs., 5d to 8⅞d. per lb. Lambs: 6½ to 8 lbs., 9⅛d to 11⅛d; extra heavy, 12⅛ to 23⅛ lbs., 9½d to 11½d; greasy, 11 to 13⅛ lbs., 5½d to 9⅞d; unstrained, 11½ to 13⅛ lbs, 8d to 8½d: ditto, inferior and greasy, 6½ to 13½ lbs., 4½d to 6½d per lb.: 114,440 sold. Sheepskins: At the public sales of the 2nd instant, there was a good demand. Scoured skins brought fully previous prices, whilst unwashed were ⅛d to 1d per lb. dearer. The sales comprise 254 bales washed, well grown, 14⅛d to 16⅛d per lb.; middling and fair, 10d to 13d per lb.; crossbred, 9⅞d to 10d per lb.; short and shorn, 4d to 5d per lb.; unwashed, fair to good 8½d to 9½d per lb.; medium, 5d to 6½d per lb.; short and shorn, 3⅛d to 4⅛d per lb. Mimosa Bark: The demand has been limited and prices have declined 10s to 15s per ton. Inferior qualities are very dull of sale. The sales have been 530 tons. Adelaide ground, £11 5s to £13; ditto chopped, £12 per ton; other ports, ground, £8 to £12 10s; ditto chopped, £7 to £10 5s; long, £8 per ton.

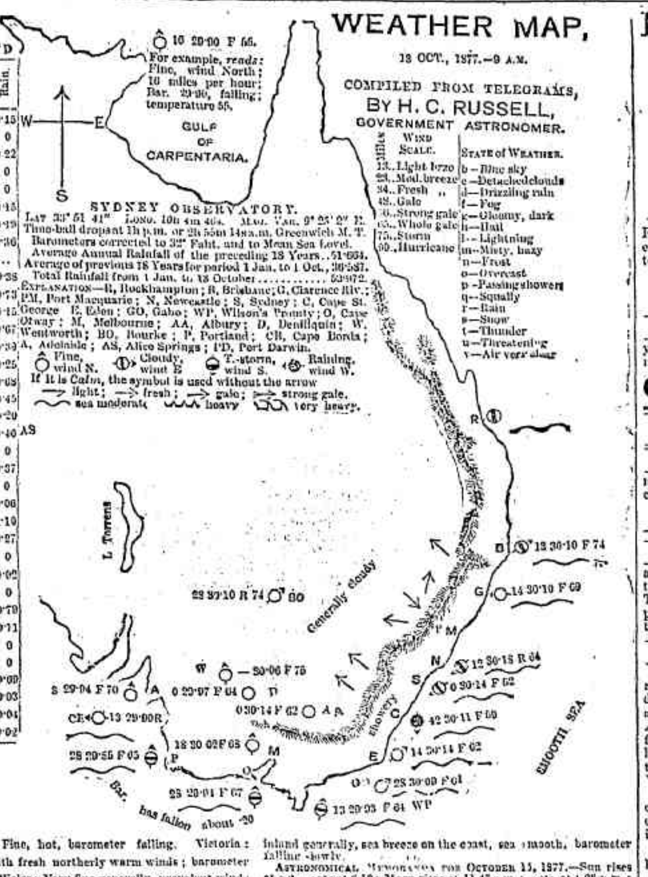
We have Singapore dates to the 15th ultimo. There was then a strong market for black pepper at about 3½d., white worth 5½d.; pearl sago, 1.90d.; tapioca, 2.01d.; nutmegs, 2s. 5½d. Coals dull; Australian nominal at 6 dollars per ton. Exchange on Australia, 4s. 0½d. for 30 days' sight.

At Manila there was nothing loading on September 1, nor had there been any clearance for the colonies for some time. Sugars were very dull at from £19 10s. 3d. to £21 4s. 5d. for brown to extra, £13 6s. 8d. to £18 9s. 4d. for unclayed. Hemp firm at £22 6s. to £23 3s. 2d. Small sales of coffee at £79 14s. 6d.

The Melbourne *Argus* of Thursday reports:—

In the import market business to a moderate extent only has been reported to-day. Transactions have not been so numerous nor yet so extensive as those we had occasion to refer to yesterday. Nevertheless, a very satisfactory tone continues to pervade trade generally. In breadstuffs, flour has had a better inquiry, and sales on a more extensive scale have reached us. Trade parcels have been moving more freely at £13 15s., and in addition we learn of the quittance of one line of 200 tons at a very full price. Wheat is firm at 6s 6d. A line of 500 bags has been taken up at our quotation. There are not many buyers, but at same time there is not much offering. Oats are firm at prices ranging from 3s 11d to 4s 3d. Owing to the supply being so much reduced, however, operations are restricted, and only the merest trade parcels are being moved off; a small line of feeding was placed at 4s 1d. Maize is quitted for actual requirements at 4s 3d to 4s 4d. In sugars, a large business continues to be done, but owing to the great reduction of stock of Mauritius and Java, the trade done is now almost monopolised by the company, whose sales for the last two days amount to 400 tons. Teas are quiet, and not much of a special nature is allowed to come before us. Sales of cornsacks show an improving market, parcels having been disposed of in the course of the day at 10s, 10½d, and 11s., with still an advancing tendency. A Calcutta telegram has been received, which quotes cornsacks at 35r. and 36r. Castor oil is quoted at same time at 13.8r., thus confirming the advance in that oil telegraphed a fortnight ago. Exchange ruled at within a shade of 1s. 10d. A fair trade business has been reported in castor oil in parcels suitable for requirements, at equal to our quotations of 4s 9d, duty paid. Kerosene oil, though less run after, is still improving; 300 cases in faulty condition were quitted at 1s 4d. A line of 500 cases, an outside brand, was also placed at 1s 4d. Sales of best brands have also been made at 1s 4½d, and we are informed that even 1s 4⅞d was offered for a line of 1000 cases. An auction sale of damaged tobaccos was held this forenoon, when 73 packages were cleared off.

Stations.	W'ther.	Max.	Min.	Rain.
Tenterf'ld	c	65	49	0·15
Grafton ..	b	72	55	0
Inverell ..	o	60	55	0·22
Bourke ..	b	89	55	0
Narrabri ..	b	84	56	0
Armidale ..	b	67	50	0·15
Gunnedah	b	84	51	0·19
Tamworth	b	72	50	0·36
P. Macqrie	..	..	..	..
Murr'undi	o	70	52	0·38
Cassilis ..	b	63	54	0·73
Mus'brook	o	73	53	0·15
Dubbo ..	b	75	52	0·67
Mudgee ..	b	60	47	0·39
Maitland ..	b	62	47	0·25
Newcastle	b	71	55	0·08
Orange ..	b	56	38	0·45
Bathurst ..	f	60	39	0·20
Mt Victoria	b	57	40	0·40
Forbes ..	b	65	40	0
SYDNEY ..	b	63	54	0·37
Wentw'th ..	b	84	59	0
Young ..	b	62	0	0·06
Woll'gong	o	64	55	1·10
Moss Vale	c	58	47	0·27
Euston ..	b	94	53	0
Goulburn	b	60	43	0·02
Wagga ..	b	66	45	0
Cape Geo.	p	63	57	0·79
Queanb'an	b	63	50	0·11
Deniliquin	b	72	40	0
Albury ..	o	70	40	0
Bodalla ..	p	67	49	0·09
Cooma ..	o	61	40	0·03
Eden	b	65	57	0·04
Gabo Isld	b	63	56	0·02



South Australia: Fine, hot, barometer falling. Victoria: Cloudy generally, with fresh northerly warm winds; barometer falling. New South Wales: Very fine generally, prevalent winds N. to N.W.; very warm inland. Rain still lingers about Bodalla and Cape George, but is being driven to the eastward by the warm N.W. current. 3 p.m. Observations: Very fine and warm inland generally, sea breeze on the coast, sea smooth, barometer falling slowly.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER 15, 1877.—Sun rises at 5.2, sets at 6.12; Moon rises at 11.47 a.m.; sets at 1.28 p.m.; Mercury 4.46 a.m., 4.43 p.m.; Venus, 7.22 a.m., 9..6 p.m.; Mars, 2.4 p.m., .. a.m. Jupiter, 9.1 a.m., 11.28 p.m.; Saturn, 3.9 p.m., 3.51 a.m. New moon, 7th; full moon, 22nd. High water at Fort Denison, 1.47 a.m., 2.10 p.m.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[RICHARD GIBSON AND CO.]

FAT Cattle.—1200 head were entered, but 1150 were penned. There was a fair proportion of good and prime qualities, and opening sales ruled easier than of late, although prices soon recovered; prime, medium, and light weights (summer stock) were in full demand, the market closing firm, which was partly owing to the prospects of next week being more in favour of sellers than buyers. We have sold 753 head for Sir John O'Shanassy, from Fort Bourke station, bullocks at from £8 7s 6d to £12 15s, averaging £9 5s 3d, cows averaging £7 13s 9d; 13 bullocks for Mr. Isaac M'Quilkin, Sylvania, up to £9 7s 6d; 10 cows and bullocks for Mr. M'Crooke, Holey Plains, the former at £5 10s, the latter £9 5s; also, in Sandhurst market, 70 bullocks for Messrs. A. Ross and Co., from Comongin station.

Fat Calves.—A similar supply to last week's market forward in point of quality and numbers, and prices remain about the same.

Fat Sheep.—21,400 penned, which consisted of medium to good quality, with only a few prime amongst them, consequently sales for the best descriptions were brisk at only a slight decline on last week's rates, whilst middling and inferior suffered a reduction of from 6d to 1s per head before a clearance could be effected. We quote best merino woolled wethers, 14s 6d to 15s 6d; good, 12s 6d to 13s 6d; others, 10s upwards. Best merino woolled ewes, 11s 6d to 12s 6d; good ditto, 10s 6d to 11s; others 8s upwards. Cross-bred wethers made up to 25s in the wool; shorn, 10s. Crossbred ewes, without the fleece, brought 8s. We sold 1240 wethers for Messrs. Hope and Scott, from Belalu Station, at 15s 6d, the top price of the market for Northern sheep.

Fat Lambs.—A large supply of 5·08 came to hand, which was greatly in excess of present trade requirements, consequently sales were very dull, and dragged throughout at a fall on last week's values of fully 1s 6d per head, and in some instances a still greater reduction had to be submitted to. We quote best quality from 7s 6d to 8s 6d; extra, 9s; good, 6s to 7s; others, 4s upwards. We sold 290 for Mr. Taylor, Deniliquin; 264 for Mr. John Hanlon, Deniliquin; 85 for Messrs. Mountjoy, Brothers, Wharparilla; 40 for Mr L. Trewin, Wharparilla; 40 for Mr. H. A. W. Lueit, Terrick Terrick East; 40 for Messrs. Bishop, Brothers, Wharparilla; 30 for Mr. C. Perrignon, Terrick Terrick.

Store Stock.—The Victorian demand is confined chiefly to good lots of 3 to 5 years old bullocks, and small mobs for paddocks, fit for topping up at once for resale; and there are more inquiries for young breeding ewes from well-known stations, best ages of wethers are also more salable. Rates unaltered. We have sold 800 breeding cows for Mr. Thomas M'Farland of Nap Nap station.—October 10.

WOOL, TALLOW, AND HIDE REPORT.

[GOLDSBROUGH AND CO.]

WOOL.—The new clip is now arriving more freely, and we have a considerable quantity in our warehouses, including portions of several large clips from New South Wales and Queensland received via Sydney. In consequence of the late rains and bad state of the roads having retarded the receipt of wool we have not yet decided when to hold our opening sale, but shall probably commence on the 17th instant, or not later than the 24th. We look for firm prices, as large orders have arrived, and there are new buyers already in the market.

Sheepskins.—During the past week our regular sales have been well attended, and we have cleared out a full supply at satisfactory prices. The tone of the market at present is very firm. We quote—Butchers' skins, 3s 6d to 8s 6d each; crossbreds, 5s to 7s 6d each; dry skins, of ordinary sizes, 3½d to 5d per lb.; ditto, large sizes and good quality, 6d to 7d per lb.

Hides.—This market is still rather weak, only superior lots attracting keen competition. We have disposed of a moderate supply during the week at prices ranging as follows:—Average ox hides, 16s to 28s each; cowhides, 15s to 22s 6d; Victorian salted, 3½d to 4½d per lb.; New Zealand, 4d to 5d per lb.

Kangaroo skins continue almost unsalable, except large well-conditioned skins, which are moved with difficulty at prices ranging up to 9⅛d per lb.

Tallow.—This market is weaker than last reported, and we cleared out a small catalogue at our sale held yesterday, at the following quotations. There is still a very small supply offering:—Mutton realised from £33 to £34 10s per ton; beef, £31 10s to £33 10s; mixed, £27 10s to £32 10s.—October 10.

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AUCTION SALES.

Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

Six heavy Draught Horses.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Six heavy draught horses, suitable for town draymen and others. Amongst this lot are two powerful draught mares, by imported horses, worthy the attention of breeders.

30 YOUNG HORSES.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from David Berry, Esq., Coolangatta, Shoalhaven, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, 15th October, at 2 o'clock.
30 head of young horses, consisting of upstanding colts and fillies, suitable for buggy, saddle, and omnibus purposes.

Fox Terrier for Sale.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, A well-bred Scotch terrier.

Double-seated Buggy and Rockaway.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, A double-seated buggy and American rockaway.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, Monday, 15th October, at 11 o'clock, 1000 prime and weighty fat wethers.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from Messrs. G. A. and P. Mein to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, the 15th instant, at 11 o'clock,
216 head of really prime and weighty fat bullocks, in lots (third draft), in charge of Mr. Stinson.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from H. Newcomen, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 15th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
200 prime fat cattle, in lots.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, on MONDAY next, the 15th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
150 head of prime fat wethers, in lots, paddock fed.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

MR. W. FULLAGAR has received instructions from B. Richards, Esq., to sell, at Homebush, THIS DAY, October 15, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime fat cattle.
Terms, cash.

Goodwill, Plant, and Lease of Hay and Corn Business, 201, George-street, late Parramatta-street.

WELLS and SMITH have received instructions from the trustees of the assigned estate of John Treeve to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
Lease of premises
A quantity of hay and straw
1 spring-cart horse
1 dray horse, a good chaff-cutter
1 spring dray and harness
1 set of scales, 1 set bran scales
Also, bins, measures, sieves, trucks
Bags, shovels, block and tackle
Bucket, old iron, &c., &c., &c.
Terms, cash.

On WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock, at Lyndhurst College, Glebe Point.

Highly Important Unreserved Sale of the whole of the Elegant and Useful Household Furniture and Effects, comprising
GLASS and CHINA, Electroplated Ware, and Cutlery
Elegant Brazilian Satinwood DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in green rep, comprising sofa, 2 easy chairs, 10 chairs
BREAKFAST-ROOM SUITE, in green rep
Handsome Brazilian Satinwood SIDEBOARD and CENTRE TABLE
Elegant CHANDELIERS
Dining-room Furniture
Brilliant-toned Walnut Cottage PIANOFORTE, by Aucher
Rosewood HARMONIUM
Cottage PIANOFORTE, by Bord
Ditto ditto, Holderness
Dining-room and Hall Clocks
Handsome Brussels CARPETS, Hearthrugs
Gilt Pier Glasses
Elegant SECRETAIRE and other Bookcases
Massive Wardrobes
Large Cedar Linen Presses
20 Cedar Chests Drawers
Toilet Tables and Glasses
Washstands and Services
65 Iron Bedsteads, Palliasses, Hair Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Bolsters, Sheets, Counterpanes, and Mosquito Curtains
Library Tables, Bookshelves
1000 Volumes Books (Classical and other Works)
School Desks and Forms
Theatrical Costumes, Scenery, Stage Fittings, &c., for a small theatre
Large Iron Chest
Pine Partitions, Timber, Pine Boards
2 Kitchen Ranges
3 Large Copper Boilers
Kitchen Utensils
Galvanized Iron Tank and Stand
Pumps, and a large quantity of sundries.
At 2 o'clock sharp,
3 Valuable Milch Cows
Cart, Harness, &c., &c.
To Parties Furnishing, Furniture Dealers, and others.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock, at Lyndhurst College, Glebe Point,
The whole of the household furniture and effects.
Terms, cash.
On view Tuesday, 16th, and morning of sale. Catalogues on application at the office of the auctioneer.
LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

On TUESDAY, October 16th, at 11 o'clock, at CINTRA, POTTS POINT, the residence of R. Travers, Esq.,

ATTRACTIVE SALE of ELEGANT and USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Handsome Cut Glass
China Breakfast and Dessert Services
Electroplated Ware and Cutlery
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in cretonne, comprising Couch, 2 Easy Chairs, 6 Chairs
Handsome WALNUT CENTRE and OCCASIONAL Tables
MAGNIFICENT TRICHORD COTTAGE PIANOFORTE
Brussels Carpets, Hearthrugs
Mahogany DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, in morocco
MASSIVE Sideboard
Ditto Telescope Dining Table
Elegant Drawing-room Lamp
Hall Table and Chairs
HANDSOME TUBULAR and other Bedsteads, Palliasses, Hair Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Blankets, Counterpanes
Commodes, Bedroom Chairs
BOX OTTOMAN, Linen Press
Massive MAHOGANY WARDROBE, plate-glass door
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Cedar Chests Drawers
Toilet Tables, Washstands, and Services
Patent Mangle, Dresser, and Shelves
Baths, Garden Tools
Kitchen Utensils, &c., &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions from R. Travers, Esq., to sell by public auction, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock, at Potts Point,
The whole of his household furniture, &c.
Terms, cash.
On view on Monday after 1 o'clock p.m.

Unredeemed Pledges.

DUNN and LISTER will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. T. James, Liverpool-street, consisting of clothing, &c.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.
Extensive Sale of Superior Household Furniture and Effects, comprising Drawing and Dining-room Suites, 3 Cottage 1 Grand Pianofortes, Carpets, Pier Glasses, Loo Table, and other Tables, Chiffonniers, Chests Drawers, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Table and Glasses, Washstands and Sets, Stoves, Mangles, Counters, Shop and Office Fittings, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street.
The above.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, MANGLE, SEWING-MACHINES.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The above, without reserve.

PLUMBERS' and GASFITTERS' MATERIALS.
On the Premises, 280, Riley-street, Surry Hills.
TUESDAY, 16th October, at 11 o'clock.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have been instructed by Mr. Moorehouse to sell by auction, as above,
The whole of his well-assorted stock.
Particulars in TO-MORROW'S issue.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

ANDREW ALLAN has received instructions from Dr. Harwood to sell by auction, at his residence, No. 7, Maximus-terrace, Glebe Road, opposite the Wesleyan Chapel, on TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock,
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising
Cottage pianoforte, in rosewood, by Cadby and Son
Drawing-room suite, in walnut
Pier glasses
Carpets and hearthrugs
Oak dining-room suite, leather covered
1 couch, 2 easy chairs, and 6 chairs
Oval inlaid walnut table
2 French gilt cornices, rods, and curt
Bronze fender and fireirons
Tapestry, carpet, and rug
2 pair lustres, elegant vases,
Brass canopy bedsteads
Hair mattresses and bedding
Marble-top washstands and sets
Toilet tables and glasses
Sideboards
Loo tables
Chests drawers, secretaire, &c.
Also,
A dogcart.
The HOUSE to LET.
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Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Chains, Crosses, Rings, Pencil Cases, Bracelets, Brooches, &c., removed from Yass.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, on TUESDAY, 16th instant, at his newly erected Rooms, 152, King-street East,
Without reserve.

TUESDAY, 16th instant, at 11 o'clock.

In the Insolvent Estate of Lawrence Levy.

VALUABLE JEWELLERY
DIAMOND and Pearl Suite, Brooch, Bracelet, and Earrings
Brilliant Diamond Rings, Half-hoop, cluster and single stones
Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches
Gold Chains, Brooches, Earrings, Lockets, Suites, &c.
Also,
10,000 Havanah Cigars, 100 boxes, brand Valentina
Certificates of 70 cases Geneva, Key brand, capsuled and labeled.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from A. Sandeman, Esq., official assignee, to sell by auction, at his newly-erected Rooms, 152, King-street East, without reserve.
On view Monday next.

In the Insolvent Estate of George Henry Woods.

TO CHEMISTS and DRUGGISTS.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the Official Assignee to sell by auction, on TUESDAY, 16th instant, at 12 o'clock, at his newly-erected Rooms, 152, King-street East,
Stock-in-trade of chemist and druggist, removed from Moss Vale.

TUESDAY, October 16, 1877.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at Rooms, 267, Margaret-street, on TUESDAY, October 16, 1877, at 11 o'clock,
Paper
Books
Glasses
Chairs
Groceries and sundries
Avery's Weighing-machine.

MONDAY, 15th instant.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.

Now and seasonable Goods now landing ex Patriarch, comprising an immense variety of very beautiful workmanship in
Men's
Women's, and
Children's
Boots and Shoes.
Also, just landed, an invoice of Patent "Gem" Sizes 2 to 5, 6 to 9, 10 to 13, 1 and 2, and Ladies.
Offering an unexampled opportunity for the *Trade to* sort up stocks for the season.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Country Buyers, and others

MR. M. MOLONY is instructed by the importers to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 15th instant, in his Rooms, No. 239, George-street, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Every line of which will be sold without reserve.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

☞ PRELIMINARY.
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY NEXT, 16th and 17th October.
Important to Warehousemen, Drapers, Tailors, Country Buyers, and others.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street, on the above days, at 11 o'clock, each day,
37 packages well-assorted and seasonable drapery, woollens, Manchester goods, clothing, sewn muslins, &c.
Now landing ex recent arrivals.
Particulars in future issue.

Preliminary Notice.
To Warehousemen, Drapers, Storekeepers, and others.
GENT.'S and YOUTHS' CLOTHING, AMERICAN and MANCHESTER COTTONS, WOOLLENS, SHIRTS, HATS, &c.
Ex Carlisle and other vessels.
On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 18th and 19th instant, at 11 o'clock each day.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
Invoices of new goods as above.
Details in Wednesday's HERALD.

Preliminary Notice.
BOOTS and SHOES.
CALFSKINS, ELASTICS, &c.
Now landing ex Nineveh.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, 16th instant, at 11,
Invoices of boots and shoes, waxed calf, elastics, &c., by eminent manufacturers.
Further particulars in future issue.

WEDNESDAY, October 24.

GREAT SALE of MAGNIFICENT DIAMOND JEWELLERY.
☞ Unavoidably POSTPONED to the 24th instant.
Descriptive catalogues in course of preparation.
Goods on view three days prior to sale.
Full particulars in future advertisements
COHEN and CO., Auctioneers,
28, O'Connell-street, 4 doors from Hunter-street.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.
The SALE advertised for TUESDAY, the 16th instant, of FURNITURE and EFFECTS, on the premises of John Kerr, Esq., Darlinghurst, is POSTPONED for a few days, in consequence of the inclemency of the weather.
COHEN and CO., Auctioneers.

TUESDAY, October 16.

ENGLISH-MANUFACTURED MAHOGANY and WALNUT FURNITURE.
☞ On account and risk of the former purchaser.
ELEGANT MAHOGANY and WALNUT DUCHESSE TOILETS
Drawing-room Walnut Settee Suite, in green figured silk
Occasional Tables, Whatnots, Music Stools, Canterburies
Canterbury Whatnots, Cane-seated Chairs, 24 x 18 Toilet Glasses
Black and Gold Lady's Chairs, in crimson satin; work-tables, &c.

COHEN and CO. will sell by auction, at their New Rooms, 28, O'Connell-street, 4 doors from Hunter-street, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock precisely,
The above very superior English-manufactured furniture,
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE,
on account and risk of the former purchaser.
Also,
On account and risk of whom it may concern,
Kent's Large Refrigerator.
Large cedar loo table, ditto square dining ditto
Child's crib, horsehair mattress, &c.; ditto high cane chair
Cedar chiffonier safe, lot books, plated ware, &c.
Terms at sale.

AUCTION SALES.

TUESDAY, October 16.

1 CASES CARPET BAGS, PORTMANTEAUS, RAILWAY BAGS, BROWN CANVAS DITTO, DUCK DITTO, SOLID LEATHER DITTO, &c., &c. 1 CASE IRON BEDSTEADS.

On account of whom it may concern. Ex John Duthie, from London.

COHEN and CO. are instructed by the importers to sell by auction, at their new Rooms, 28, O'Connell-street, 4 doors from Hunter-street, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock,
B over J H in diamond, S outside.
47—1 case, containing 5 French bedsteads, 6 feet by 2 feet 9 inches.
1072 J 14-17—4 cases containing—Tapestry carpet bags, leather railways, portmanteaus, solid leather ditto, duck ditto, canvas ditto, roan brief bags, &c., &c.
Terms, cash.

FRIDAY, October 19.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Furniture Dealers, Storekeepers, and others.

100 ROLLS ASSORTED FANCY and WHITE CHINESE MATTING.
Just arrived ex Helena, from Hongkong.
With positive instructions to sell every line without any reserve.

By order of the Consignees Messrs. A. TANGE and CO.

COHEN and CO. are instructed as above, to sell by auction, at their new Rooms, 28, O'Connell-street, 4 doors from Hunter-street, on FRIDAY, October 19, at 11 o'clock,
The above new shipment of splendid assorted mattings, comprising—
4-4, 5-4, and 6-4 superior fancies, all new and beautiful patterns
Ditto ditto ditto whites.
Full particulars in future issue.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

THURSDAY, October 18.

Allotments of Land, situated at PADDINGTON, PARRAMATTA, GRAFTON, and CLARENCE RIVER.

In the Insolvent Estate of Mr. D. L. Levy, by order of the Mortgagees, with the consent of F. T. Humphery, Esq., official assignee.

COHEN and CO. are instructed, as above, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 28, O'Connell-street, four doors from Hunter-street, on THURSDAY, October 18, at 11 o'clock precisely,
The allotments of land, as above.
Titles, unquestionable.
Terms at sale.
Further particulars can be obtained at the Rooms of the Auctioneers, and will duly appear in Wednesday's and Thursday's issues of the Herald.

WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.

NEW SHIPMENT ex Helena.
CAMPHORWOOD DRAWERS
WRITING DESKS
CAMPHORWOOD TRUNKS
Ditto ditto, extra size,
and
FANCY RATTAN BASKETS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 17th instant, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
Terms at sale.

IMPORTANT SALE, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 12 o'clock, of about FIFTEEN THOUSAND GALLONS of COLONIAL-MADE WINES, in bulk, the Vintages of 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876.

These WINES are the produce of Dr. M'Kay's NOTED VINEYARD, MINCHINBURY, near ROOTY HILL, and comprise—
VINTAGE, 1873, Reisling
Ditto, 1874, Pineau
Ditto, ditto, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, 1875, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Madeira
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, 1876, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, ditto, Hermitage
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Colonial Port
Ditto, ditto, Madeira
Ditto, ditto, Burgundy
Ditto, ditto, Pineau.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Dr. M'Kay to sell by auction, at Vineyard, Minchinbury, near Rooty Hill, on WEDNESDAY, 17th instant, at 12 o'clock,
The above.
Train leaves Redfern Station at 9 a.m.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

AN ELEGANT SELECTION OF COSTLY GOODS, in GENUINE RUSSIA LEATHER and BRONZE WARE.

Samples only, from one of the FIRST Parisian Manufacturers, sent out for circulation and with the object of obtaining trade orders, comprising
Pocket-books, Portemonnaies
Visit Etui
Necessaire for a Lady
Match Boxes
Money Purses
BRONZEWARE
Cigar-ash Holders, Letter Weights, Match-boxes
Match-box Holders, Candlesticks, Penholders
Lampstands, Fancy Inkstands, Thermometers, Watch-holders
And a large assortment of Fancy Goods

TO PROPRIETORS OF FANCY REPOSITORIES.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from the consignees to sell by auction, without reserve, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.
SPECIAL SELECTION OF COSTLY RUSSIA LEATHER GOODS and useful articles in BRONZE.
RECENTLY ARRIVED FROM FRANCE.

WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.

IMPORTANT SALE of BEAUTIFULLY CARVED MEERSCHAUM PIPES, in great variety.
FANCY BRIAR WOOD PIPES, with amber stems, well assorted
Fancy Myall Wood, ditto.

TO TOBACCONISTS and FANCY WARE DEALERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to offer a NEW IMPORTATION of PIPES, per Carlisle, at their Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.
No reserve.

FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE T. W. F. WILSHIRE, ESQ.

VALUABLE GUNS
PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, CAMERA, LENSES, &c.

TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN and PHOTOGRAPHIC ARTISTS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
Other particulars will be advertised.

FRIDAY, 19th October, at 12 o clock.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

The PERSONAL JEWELLERY of a PRIVATE GENTLEMAN, consisting of VALUABLE DIAMOND RINGS, CHASTE BREAST-PINS, SLEEVE LINKS, ELEGANT GOLD LOCKETS, and MASONIC EMBLEMS, &c.
Also,
VERY HANDSOME RUSSIAN LEATHER JEWEL CASE.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received positive instructions to sell, without reserve, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 12 o'clock,
The PERSONAL JEWELLERY of a PRIVATE GENTLEMAN.
INSPECTION INVITED.

WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

EXTENSIVE SALE of VERANDAH BLINDS ex Helena,
Green, Yellow, Brown, White (with pink flowers), 12 feet x 10 feet, 11 feet x 9 feet, 10 feet x 8 feet, 4 feet 3½ inches x 8 feet 2 inches, 3 feet x 5 feet 10 inches, 3 feet x 5 feet 6 inches, 3 feet 6 inches x 5 feet 10 inches, 3 feet 6 inches x 5 feet.

To the FURNISHING TRADE and PRIVATE BUYERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the importers to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 a.m.,
NEW SHIPMENT of VERANDAH BLINDS, in various colours and different sizes.

THURSDAY, 18th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

ABSOLUTE SALE of BALANCE of SHIPMENTS of BELGIAN WINDOW GLASS,
comprising about 1000 Boxes well-assorted, in sizes from 10 x 8 to 60 x 40; weights, 16 ounces, 21 ounces, and 26 ounces.
IN LOTS TO SUIT THE TRADE.

TO BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS and GLAZIERS, PICTURE-FRAME MAKERS, and GENERAL DEALERS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the importer to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 18th October, at 11 a.m.,
About 1000 boxes BELGIAN WINDOW GLASS, 16, 21, and 26 ounces.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS FOR THE MAIL.

. Samples can be seen at the Rooms, but intending buyers are requested to inspect the bulk at the Argyle free stores, and at Mr. C. Wright's and Sydney Parcels Delivery stores, Clarence-street, orders for which can be obtained from the Auctioneers.

THE IMPORTANT SALE OF ALBURY WINES, postponed on account of the inclemency of the weather, To FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 a.m.

To MERCHANTS
CLUBS
HOTELKEEPERS
and
PRIVATE FAMILIES.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Mr. I. E. Ives to sell by auction, at the ARGYLE BONDING AND FREE WAREHOUSES, Argyle-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 a.m.,
A WELL-ASSORTED PARCEL, in hogsheads and quarter-casks, of the FINEST ALBURY WINES, comprising
Reisling
Verdeilho
Frontignac
Carbinet, Madeira, Hermitage
Shiraz, Muscat, &c.,
all of which have been carefully selected, and being a trial consignment, the attention of connoisseurs and others is invited.
Terms and particulars at sale.

On THURSDAY, 25th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

VERY ATTRACTIVE SALE of ELEGANT FRENCH FANCY GOODS,
comprising
PEARL INLAID PICTURES
BRONZE CANDELABRA and CANDLESTICKS
Glove Boxes, Crystal Flagons, Inkstands
Jewel Boxes, Porcelain Bonbonnieres
Opera Glasses, Field Glasses
Breast Pins, Earrings, Rings
Brooches, Sevres China, Card Receivers
Clocks, Scent Bottles, &c., &c.

JUST ARRIVED.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on THURSDAY, 25th October, at 11 a.m.
NEW SHIPMENT of ELEGANT FRENCH FANCY GOODS.
Terms, cash.
Catalogues will be duly issued.

Preliminary Notice.

On WEDNESDAY, 31st October, at 11 a.m.

At MILTON HOUSE, No. 215, DARLINGHURST ROAD.
VERY ATTRACTIVE and IMPORTANT SALE of ELEGANT and SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising CHOICE GLASS and CHINA, VALUABLE PLATE, EXQUISITE PAINTINGS, and FINE PROOF ENGRAVINGS, and a Splendid PIANOFORTE.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at MILTON HOUSE, No. 215, Darlinghurst Road, on WEDNESDAY, 31st October, at 11 a.m.
ELEGANT and SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
Catalogues in course of compilation.

IMMIGRANTS' SURPLUS STORES.
Ex NINEVEH.

On Account of the Captain and Owners.
Comprising—
Beef, Pork, Suet
Split Peas, Oatmeal
Preserved Meat, Vegetables
Condensed Milk, Flour
Raisins, Currants
Pickles, Bread, &c., &c.

By order of the Agents, Messrs. MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, October 16, on board the ship, at Circular Quay.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, on board the ship Nineveh, at Circular Quay, TUESDAY AFTERNOON, October 16, at 3 o'clock,
The surplus immigrants' stores, ex above ship, comprising—
1136 packages.
Comprising—

2 tierces beef	146 lbs. raisins
6 barrels pork	818 ditto sugar
4 ditto suet	3 hogsheads molasses
6 firkins butter	160 lbs. mustard
724 tins milk	167 ditto pepper
7070 lbs. flour	315 ditto salt
3136 ditto oatmeal	45 gallon jars pickles
896 ditto rice	60 quarts lime juice
1732 ditto split peas	76 lbs. tea
1820 ditto preserved potatoes	270 ditto raw coffee
1244 ditto carrots	256 ditto roast ditto
816 ditto onions	30 gallons vinegar
1100 ditto currants	80 lbs. arrowroot
30 ditto sago	75 ditto barley
857 ditto loaf sugar	560 ditto soft soap.

Terms at sale.

AMERICAN DOORS.
To Close Accounts.
386, assorted sizes.

TUESDAY, October 16, at the City Mart.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock, 386 doors, assorted sizes.
Terms at sale.

DUCHESS, COUNTESS, and LADIES SLATES, JUST ARRIVED, ex A. H. SMITH.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
under instructions from Messrs. R. Towns and Co. at the CITY MART, 302, GEORGE-STREET, TUESDAY MORNING, at 11 o'clock.

Highly important to Builders, Contractors, Speculators, and the Trade generally.

The above shipment is, without doubt, the finest ever imported, and intending purchasers are requested to inspect samples of bulk now at the Rooms.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock,
The shipment of American slates, ex A. H. Smith, consisting of—
12,000 9 x 18
20,000 10 x 18
10,000 10 x 20
6,000 11 x 22
12,000 12 x 24
5,000 12 x 24
5,000 12 x 22.
In lots to suit purchasers.
Terms at sale.

YELLOW PINE LUMBER.

21,582 feet SHELVING, 12 x 1
38,633 ditto ditto, 10 x 1, T. and G.
7,333 ditto FLOORING, 4 x 1, ditto.
The ENTIRE SHIPMENT of the Royal Mail Steamship ZEALANDIA, direct from SAN FRANCISCO.

Day of Sale, TUESDAY, October 16, at the City Mart.

By order of Messrs. LORIMER, ROME, and CO.

The samples will be on view at the City Mart, and bulk can be inspected alongside the vessel at Parbury's Wharf.

AS USUAL the whole Shipment will be closed out WITHOUT RESERVE.
DELIVERY must be taken at once, in order that account sales may be rendered by outgoing mail to San Francisco on 19th instant.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock,
The entire shipment of yellow pine lumber, ex Zealandia, comprising
21,582 feet 12 x 1 shelving
38,533 ditto 10 x 1 T. and G. ditto
7,333 ditto 4 x 1 ditto flooring.
This is the only parcel in the market, and the trade are invited to be in early attendance at the City Mart on day of sale.
L. E. THRELKELD, Auctioneer.
Terms liberal.

COLONIAL SUGAR, FROM THE RICHMOND and CLARENCE RIVERS,
comprising
Finest LIGHT COUNTERS
Ditto BROWN ditto.

For Unreserved Sale,
WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock,
720 packages finest counter sugars.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

AMERICAN BROOMS.

Just arrived per Zealandia.

10 Cases Patent Corn and Socket Brooms.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, October 17, at the City Mart.

By Order of Messrs. LORIMER, ROME, and CO. WITHOUT RESERVE.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock,
Ex ZEALANDIA.
10 cases American brooms, assorted.
Terms at sale.

BOAR'S HEAD STOUT.

JUST LANDED EX RAGLAN CASTLE.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

By order of the Importers, Messrs. Learmonth, Dickinson, and Co. (with all faults, if any).

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock,
More or less damaged,
50 casks Boar's Head stout.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

WESTON and WESTALL'S LIVERPOOL C. SALT. JUST LANDED.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.
On ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, WITH ALL FAULTS.
By order of the Importers, Messrs. YOUNG and LARK.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock,
with all faults, if any,
330 sacks of Weston and Westall's Liverpool C. Salt.
Terms at sale.

IMPORTANT SALE.

OCTOBER 18,
at WOODVILLE, the residence of the Honorable JOHN LACKEY,
CLOSE TO THE GUILDFORD STATION.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
THOROUGHBRED COACHING STALLION AND FILLY
50 HEAD OF DAIRY STOCK
HORSES, BUGGIES, CARTS, HARNESS
FARMING IMPLEMENTS, NEW CHAFFCUTTER
35 TONS GOOD OATEN HAY, very sweet.

BOWDEN and MILLS have received instructions from the Hon. John Lackey, in consequence of his having let the estate, to sell by auction, at his residence, Woodville, on THURSDAY, October 18th, at 11 o'clock,
A quantity of household furniture, comprising—Drawing-room suite; carpets, 25 x 15 and 10 x 15; pier glasses occasional tables, whatnot, telescope table, chairs, chiffoniers, hatstand, oil floorcloth, bedsteads, bedding, washstands and sets, chests drawers, lounge, kitchen utensils, safes, sofas, mangle, casks, scales and weights, and portable earth closet.
Ploughs, scarifiers, American gang plough, roller, carts, 2 buggies; chaffcutters, one of Bentall's patent, new; iron chains for stumping machine, and hooks; corn-sheller, sheets of iron, horse hay-rake; also, 35 tons of good sound old hay.
50 head of quiet dairy cows, some newly calved, others springing; 1 bull, half-bred buffalo; and the thoroughbred coaching stallion Mentor, 5 years, 16 hands 2 inches high, by Stafford, from very fine mare, by Young Gohannah, bred by Sir William Macarthur, broken to saddle.
The bay filly VANITY, 4 years, by Kyogle, from Maid of Mona, by New Warrior; very fast and carries a lady; and other horses.
The 10 a.m. train from Sydney stops at Guildford Station, close to Woodville.
N.B.—The unfavourable state of the weather has necessitated the postponement of this sale from 12th, to Thursday, 18th October.

PEARL SHELL.

A small shipment of about 2 tons Torres Straits, for sale by auction, by GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON, TUESDAY, October 16.

YORK HAMS.

BY ORDER OF THE CONSIGNEES.

On account of whom it may concern.

2 CASES HAMS.
FOR POSITIVE SALE,
TUESDAY, 16th October.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

FENCING WIRE.

Ex Margaret Heald.

On account of whom it may concern.

By order of the Consignees.

24 Bundles No 6
65 ditto No. 8
9 ditto No. 10
More or less damaged,
for Sale by Auction, by
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON,
TUESDAY, October 16.

DAMAGED PORTION OF THE CARGO of NEW SEASON'S TEAS, ex Rhoda.

On account of whom it may concern.

BY ORDER OF THE CONSIGNEES.

FOR SALE, by AUCTION,
by
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.
on
TUESDAY, October 16,
134 chests and halves finest KAISOW CONGOUS.
Slightly Damaged.
Without any reserve.
Terms, cash.

The new Schooner EMPRESS OF INDIA,
of about 90 tons, draught 6 feet 6 inches, just arrived from the Manning River.

Built under special supervision, and upon which no expense has been spared.

Will be sold by auction,
by
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON, at the Rooms, on TUESDAY, October 16, at 11 o'clock.
She is most faithfully built, and has a good carrying capacity, on a light draught, and only requires coppering to be sent to sea.
Can be inspected prior to sale.
Terms liberal.

THE GLEBE FOUNDRY,
COOPER and CHRISTIE STREETS, GLEBE.
Under instruction received from Mr. THOMAS WEARNE.

GREAT CLEARING SALE of THE WHOLE STOCK and PLANT,
embracing everything requisite for the carrying on of a large and profitable business, and more especially in the MANUFACTURE of RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK.

To ENGINEERS, BLACKSMITHS, BOILER-MAKERS, CONTRACTORS for RAILWAY STOCK, and in fact to every body concerned, this sale presents one of the best opportunities for securing at once premises and working plant.
The one conveniently and well situated; the other in first-class order, as also a good connection.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions from Mr. THOMAS WEARNE to sell by public auction, on the premises, on THURSDAY, 18th instant, at 11 o'clock,
The lease of the premises so well known as
THE GLEBE FOUNDRY,
together with the whole of the very excellent plant and stock, the particulars of which are too extensive for advertisement, but will be given in catalogue now in course of preparation, and will be ready for issue on an early day.

The whole is for positive sale, buyers may rely on getting what they want, and are specially requested to inspect the stock, &c., prior to sale.
Catalogues now ready at the Rooms.

POSTPONED FROM the 13th TILL the 20th.

IMPORTANT LAND SALE.

NEXT (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON,

ON THE GROUND, at

ASHFIELD and CROYDON.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, NEXT SATURDAY, October 20th, at 3 o'clock,
ALLOTMENTS, ASHFIELD,
at the Crossing and
FRONTING THE RAILWAY LINE,
opposite the Residence and Grounds of J. Pope, Esq.

ONE-ACRE BLOCK, SPLENDID SITUATION,

having frontage of 97 feet to the LIVERPOOL ROAD,

and 97 feet to NORTON-STREET,

by a depth of over 500 feet.

BEAUTIFUL VILLA SITES, with frontages to MILTON STREET, NORTON-STREET, and LIVERPOOL ROAD.

Adjoining CROYDON PARK
MAGNIFICENT ALLOTMENTS, commanding Extensive Views of the Surrounding Country, having frontages to the
GEORGE'S RIVER ROAD;
and
Building Allotments close to RAILWAY STATION, with frontages to
CROYDON STREET,
NORTON-STREET,
WILLIAM-STREET, and
ARTHUR-STREET.
close to the late Residence of Sir H. Parkes.

'BUS will leave the ROOMS, 281, GEORGE-STREET, at 2 o'clock NEXT SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

LAND SALE, NORTH KINGSTON.

NEAR THE NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION.

ON THE GROUND, ON MONDAY NEXT.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on the ground, on MONDAY, 22nd October, to suit the convenience of
MECHANICS and OTHERS,
at half-past 4 o'clock sharp,
9 allotments of land, having frontages to TRADE and ALBERT STREETS.
After which several allotments in AUSTRALIA and DENISON streets,
Titles, freehold. Terms at sale.

DAISEY COTTAGE and LAND.

EDROP-STREET, BURWOOD.

SITUATED NEAR THE RAILWAY STATION.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on THURSDAY, 18th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that allotment of land, having a frontage to Edrop-street of 50 feet, by a depth of 175 feet, upon which is erected
A CONVENIENT COTTAGE RESIDENCE,
substantially built of brick on stone foundations, shingled roof, containing 4 rooms, hall, verandah back and front, kitchen, pantry, and bath-house.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

To close accounts.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on THURSDAY next, October 18, at 11 o'clock,
Building allotments at BURWOOD, PETERSHAM, ASHFIELD, PADDINGTON, NORTH SHORE, Balmain, and other suburbs, in order to close several accounts.
No reserve. Terms liberal.

BALD ROCK, BALMAIN.
4-ROOMED WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE.

ROSSER-STREET.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, on THURSDAY next, October 18, at 11 o'clock,
Allotment of land, situate in ROSSER-STREET, on which is erected a substantial 4-roomed COTTAGE, with kitchen, &c., at present occupied by Mr. Coleman.
Title, freehold. Terms, cash.

CITY PROPERTY.

FOUR ALLOTMENTS OF LAND

Nos. 32, 34, 36 and 38, CHIPPEN-STREET, CHIPPENDALE.

With buildings erected thereon.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY, 18th October, at 11 o'clock,
Four ALLOTMENTS of LAND having frontages to CHIPPEN-STREET of 18 feet 6 inches each on which are erected on three allotments
THREE SMALL COTTAGES
realizing a rental of £50 per annum.
Freehold title. Terms, cash.

NEUTRAL BAY, NORTH SHORE.

FOUR BUILDING ALLOTMENTS.

In the Estate of the late N. BRAY, Esq.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on THURSDAY next, October 18, at 11 o'clock,
Two building allotments, each having a frontage of 48 feet 9 inches to Fellon-street, by a depth of 100, more or less.
Two allotments, each having a frontage of 54 feet to Bray-street, by a depth of 120 feet, more or less.
Title, freehold. Terms, cash.

GENTEEL VILLA RESIDENCE,
Illawarra Road,
MARRICKVILLE.

By Order of the Mortgagee.

W. PRITCHARD has been instructed to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on THURSDAY 18th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece and parcel of land delightfully situated on the Illawarra Road, between the Addison Road and the Marrickville Public School, having a frontage of 53 feet 6 inches by a depth of 198 feet, upon which is erected a substantial and pretty
VILLA RESIDENCE,
containing 5 rooms, hall, and detached kitchen, built of brick on stone foundation.
Freehold title. Terms at sale.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

72 ACRES OF LAND,

PARISH OF GORDON, COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND,

HEAD of the LANE COVE RIVER.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on THURSDAY next, October 18, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece or parcel of land, near the head of the LANE COVE RIVER, containing 72 acres 2 roods.
. The land in this locality is being rapidly taken up for agricultural purposes and is DAILY INCREASING IN VALUE.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

GEORGE-STREET, REDFERN.

ANDREW ALLAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, George-street, Redfern, near Albert-street, THIS DAY, the 15th October, at 11 o'clock,
An allotment of land, 60 feet frontage to George-street, by 262 feet deep, with the buildings erected thereon, consisting of a house of 6 rooms, stabling, large shed, &c.; all in first-rate order.
Title, freehold.
Terms at sale.
Office—120, King-street.

TUESDAY NEXT.

ORDER OF SALE.

Of properties to be submitted at auction, at BELL'S CHAMBERS, 175, PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock.

PITT-STREET, opposite THE EXCHANGE.	Those VALUABLE CITY OFFICES and STRONG-ROOMS occupied by Messrs. STEPHEN and STEPHEN and A. L. PARK, Esq.
POINT PIPER ROAD, near WAVERLEY ROAD.	CAMBERWELL - TERRACE, situate fronting POINT PIPER ROAD, and near to the residence of W. HEZLETT, Esq., J.P.
ASHFIELD, near CROYDON STATION.	A magnificent Block of Building Land fronting UNDERWOOD-STREET, and near to the residence of G. E. CRANE, Esq.
BALMAIN.	A choice Villa Site, fronting LLEWELLYN-STREET and LITTLE DARLING-STREET, and near to the WARWICK CASTLE HOTEL.
PADDINGTON.	Lot 12 of PERRY'S subdivision, fronting UNDERWOOD-STREET, opposite the RESERVOIR.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

HEATON PARK.

This magnificent property, having an area of OVER 43 ACRES of good land, together with the COMFORTABLE FAMILY RESIDENCE thereon, is now for PRIVATE SALE,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

MARRICKVILLE HEIGHTS.

TWO COTTAGES and about THREE ACRES of LAND, fronting the MAIN 'BUS ROAD to MARRICKVILLE, opposite the residence of —— PAYTEN, Esq., just on the rise of the hill, and about midway between ADDISON ROAD and SYDENHAM ROAD, and near to the PUBLIC SCHOOL.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Miss GEORGE to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 23rd October,
The above-described property, subdivided as follows:—
LOTS 1 and 5 have each a large frontage of 107 feet to ILLAWARRA ROAD, and a frontage also of about 165 feet to WOODLAND-STREET. Upon these allotments are erected two comfortable weatherboard cottages, at present occupied by Messrs. SHARP and WALSH, having gardens in front and yards at the rear, and are well worthy inspection.
LOTS 2 to 4, and 6 to 8, have each a large frontage of 100 feet to WOODLAND-STREET, by a depth of about 107 feet each.
This elevated and compact property occupies one of the best positions in Marrickville, commanding pretty and extensive views of the City, Newtown, Enmore, Cook's River, and Botany Bay.
It is very accessible; the MARRICKVILLE 'BUS passes the door; and surrounded by first-class improving properties, and is situate in a very healthy locality, and will be offered in ONE LOT, or in SEVERAL LOTS, as per plan of subdivision.
LARGE PLAN can be inspected, and LITHOGRAPHS obtained at the SALE ROOMS of the AUCTIONEERS.
Inspection is invited prior to the DAY OF SALE, TUESDAY, 23rd OCTOBER.

SURRY HILLS. BUILDING LAND.

Absolute instructions to sell to close accounts.

BOURKE STREET.
LOT 1.—A valuable BUILDING Site, with about 21 feet frontage to BOURKE-STREET, and 20 FEET frontage to MARSHALL-STREET, together with all the Buildings thereon, known as No. 561.
. This land is situate near SOMERSET HOUSE, and is also close to JAMIESON-PLACE.

FITZROY-STREET.
LOT 2.—A valuable TERRACE SITE, having about 50 FEET frontage to FITZROY-STREET, by a depth of about 78 FEET, together with the Buildings thereon.
. This Land is situate very near to Moore Park, and in a very improving locality.

MARSHALL-STREET.
LOT 3.—5 Allotments, having each about 15 FEET frontage to MARSHALL STREET, by depths of 75 to 85 feet, only a few yards beyond BENNETT-STREET.

BENNETT-STREET.
LOT 4.—A Building Site, having about 15 feet frontage to BENNETT-STREET, right opposite BLANCHE-TERRACE.

COOK STREET.
LOT 5.—Three good Allotments, each having about 14 feet frontage to COOK-STREET, a short distance off MARSHALL-STREET, and near to MOORE PARK.
These Allotments are well situated, in a populous locality, and being for positive sale, they should command ready attention.

TORRENS' TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 23rd October,
The above-described choice building allotments.

Plans on view at the Rooms.

A Good and Safe Investment.

CAMBERWELL-TERRACE, POINT PIPER ROAD, about twenty yards off SOUTH HEAD ROAD, PADDINGTON.

Three good Houses, built of brick on stone, each containing hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, wash-house, &c.; verandahs and balconies; the fittings are of cedar; gas and water laid on, and copper fitted in wash-house.
The Land has a frontage of 80 FEET to POINT PIPER ROAD, with entrances to a lane at the side and rear; and the terrace commands a rental of
ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIVE POUNDS per annum.

TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Central Property Sale Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
TUESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
CAMBERWELL-TERRACE, as above described.
This property occupies one of the best positions in this locality, and is situate next to the residence of WILLIAM HEZLET, Esq., J.P., very near to the Public school, and churches of the various denominations.
The terrace commands grand views of the HARBOUR and NORTH SHORE, is situate in a healthy and populous neighbourhood, where houses command constant tenants, and within regular and frequent 'bus communication of the city.
The houses are well built, finished in a superior style, and fitted with cedar. The gasaliers, brackets, &c., will become the property of the purchaser.
The Auctioneers direct special attention to this VERY SAFE and equal to a CITY INVESTMENT.
Day of Sale,
TUESDAY, 16th OCTOBER.

UNDERWOOD-STREET, ASHFIELD,
within five minutes' walk of
CROYDON RAILWAY STATION.

A magnificent Block of Land, having 200 feet frontage to Underwood-street, by the great depth of 200 FEET, situate between the properties of P. GRAHAM and H. M'CRAE, to be offered in one block or subdivided into 4 lots, each 50 x 200.

Torrens' title. Terms easy.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from M. Hall, Esq., to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
The above-described choice block of building land, to be offered either in ONE or FOUR lots.
Further particulars will be duly published.

PITT-STREET PROPERTY.

Those first-class Offices and Strong Rooms occupied by
Messrs. STEPHEN and STEPHEN, and A. L. PARK, Esq.,
right opposite the
SYDNEY EXCHANGE,
will be sold at auction, on
TUESDAY, 16th October,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

A VERY PROFITABLE AND SAFE INVESTMENT.

BALMAIN,
near DRY DOCK FERRY.

A choice Block of Land, having 33 feet frontage to LLEWELLYN-STREET and LITTLE DARLING-STREET, with a depth of about 90 feet.

This land is well elevated, conveniently situated, close to the DRY DOCK FERRY, near to the WESLEYAN CHURCH and the WARWICK CASTLE HOTEL.

TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, 16th October,
The above-described block of choice building land.

TO INVESTORS, BUILDERS, MECHANICS, and others.

DARLINGHURST.
Important Sale
of
TWENTY-FIVE
GOOD BUILDING ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, at the junction of
GREAT BARCOM-STREET
and
WEST-STREET,
between OXFORD and LIVERPOOL STREETS, near the RESIDENCE of Captain SCOTT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
TWENTY-FIVE
conveniently situated building allotments of land at Darlinghurst, being
A SUBDIVISION
of that well known
TRIANGULAR BLOCK OF LAND,
at the junction of GREAT BARCOM-STREET and WEST-STREET.
No. 1.—The CORNER has 109 feet frontage to GREAT BARCOM-STREET, and 119 feet to WEST-STREET.
Nos. 2 to 24 have from 13 FEET to 19 FEET frontages to GREAT BARCOM-STREET and WEST-STREET, with good depths.
These building allotments are in a good position at Darlinghurst, a part of the city where building land is in demand, and one in which suitable residences let readily, and command high rentals.
They are close to Oxford-street and the omnibuses, and also within easy walking distance of the business parts of the city.
The lots have all been pegged out by Mr. Surveyor Reuss, jun., so that intending purchasers may go upon the land and make their selections at once.
PLAN on view at the Rooms, and LITHOGRAPHS are now ready for distribution.
Terms liberal, at sale.

LIVERPOOL ROAD, BANKSTOWN.

IMPROVED FARM of 40 ACRES, on the LIVERPOOL ROAD, between Messrs. Cooper and Huffer's Properties, near the PUBLIC SCHOOL, and about 3 miles from the Rookwood Railway Station.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that 40-ACRE FARM fronting the LIVERPOOL ROAD, close to the new road leading to the Rookwood Station, upon which is erected a 4-roomed weatherboard verandah Cottage.
The whole of the land is fenced; about 10 acres have been cleared, portion of which, divided into three paddocks, has been under cultivation.
TERMS—Half cash, residue 2 years, at 6 per cent. per annum.

Plan at the Rooms. Title unquestionable.

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late Mrs. HARRIET ELIAS, as Mortgagees, TO CLOSE THE ESTATE.

TOWN of PORT MACQUARIE.
HALF ACRE ALLOTMENT of LAND,
No. 16 of section 14 of the TOWN known as J. R. Hatfield's grant. It has 66 FEET frontage to BRIDGE-STREET, with a depth of 330 FEET.
Also,
TOWN of HASTINGS NORTH,
COUNTY of MACQUARIE,
Allotment of Land, No. 50, of section 47, of the Town, having 33 FEET frontage to Bourke-street, with a depth of 290 FEET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above two lots of land, which must be sold to close the estate.
Terms at sale.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX of the Estate of the late Mr. JOHN CANHAM.

WYNDHAM-STREET, WATERLOO,
west of Botany Road, south of Raglan street.

WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE,
WYNDHAM-STREET, on the west side, a few yards south of RAGLAN-STREET, and
TWO WEATHERBOARD COTTAGES,
at the rear.
The front Cottage contains four rooms, the two at the rear contain each three rooms.
The land has 50 feet 9 inches frontage, with a depth of 100 feet.

TITLE—Leasehold, having about 78 years to run.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described property, together with the ground rent of a cottage adjoining the one fronting Wyndham-street.

TO CAPITALISTS, INVESTORS, SPECULATORS, and Others.

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late RICHARD O'CONNOR, Esq.

VERY VALUABLE and BEAUTIFULLY-SITUATED LARGE BLOCK of LAND,
comprising
3 ACRES 2 ROODS 6 PERCHES,
together with
THE COTTAGE RESIDENCE
thereon, now in the occupation of Mrs. O'Connor.
It adjoins STRATHMORE HOUSE and GROUNDS, the property of the Sir G. W. ALLEN, and fronts
THE MAIN GLEBE ROAD,
extending eastward to the waters of
JOHNSTON'S BAY.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
All that valuable and extensive
WATERSIDE
BLOCK OF LAND,
in area
3 ACRES 2 ROODS 6 PERCHES,
situate at
GLEBE POINT,
and having the following frontages:—
165 feet to MAIN GLEBE ROAD
165 feet to JOHNSTON'S BAY,
with a depth on one side of 996 feet and about 900 feet on the other.
On portion of the Glebe Road frontage is erected a commodious and comfortable COTTAGE RESIDENCE, known as
MARYVILLE,
with verandahs front and back, and containing wide entrance hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, servant's room, bathroom, pantry, store and laundry; detached dairy stable, cowhouse, and hay shed, &c.
The gas and city water is laid on to the property.
This is the only waterside FREEHOLD PROPERTY with so large an area of land—upwards of 3½ acres, now in the market, at
GLEBE POINT,
a very delightful, popular, and convenient
SUBURB OF OUR CITY,
within easy walking distance of the business parts of the METROPOLIS, as well as having the great advantage of
OMNIBUS COMMUNICATION
every five minutes during the day, and up to a late hour at night.
This property is very eligible for sub-division, and with the rapidly increasing demand for
BUILDING SITES
in this immediate locality, special attention is directed thereto as it must be disposed of on the above date,
THE WHOLE IN ONE LOT,
to carry out the trusts in the will of the late RICHARD O'CONNOR, Esq.
Inspection is particularly invited, for which purpose cards to view may be obtained at the Rooms.
Large plan at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

CLEVELAND-STREET,
between CHIPPENDALE and DARLINGTON.

TWO NEWLY-FINISHED and faithfully-built Dwelling Houses, known as
NORFOLK BUILDINGS,
on the south side of CLEVELAND-STREET, about midway between the SYDNEY RAILWAY STATION and the NEWTOWN ROAD.
They are tastefully finished, and cemented all round, have slated roofs, balconies, and verandahs in front, and contain each 4 rooms and kitchen, with wash-shed, good yards, &c., at the rear.
The LAND is lot 5 of plan No. 1 of M'CULLOCH and BOWMAN'S subdivision of portion of the Hutchinson Estate, having 25 FEET frontage to CLEVELAND-STREET, 26 FEET to VINE-STREET, with a depth of 96 FEET on one side and 88 FEET on the other.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. WILLIAM GOWARD to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described two two-story dwelling houses, in Cleveland-street, a good letting position in this highly improved and valuable part of the city.
TITLE—21 years' lease from 1st April, 1876; ground rent £6 10s per annum.
Terms at sale.

KINGSGROVE,
PARISH OF ST. GEORGE.

PEMBROKE PARK, a beautifully-situated suburban retreat and Residence; orchard, and cultivated lands, near GANNON'S FOREST, about 3 miles beyond the Dam, at Cook's River.
Also,
BLOCK of LAND, near the above, 15 ACRES, GANNON'S FOREST, adjoining the BEXLEY ESTATE.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. Deacon to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
LOT 1.—BLOCK of LAND at KINGSGROVE, in area 20 ACRES 35 PERCHES, having extensive frontage to the
OLD ILLAWARRA ROAD,
about half-mile from the corner of the
FOREST ROAD,
near the Residence and Grounds of — PREDDY, Esq.
The IMPROVEMENTS comprise a VERY COMFORTABLE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, with verandah in front, and containing 6 rooms; detached kitchen, wash-house, coach-house, and 4-stall stable, cart-shed, fowl-house, &c.
The whole of the land is good rich agricultural and garden land. It is securely fenced, about 14 acres cultivated, 4 acres of which are planted with orange and choice summer fruit trees, all in bearing, the residue (about six acres) is under good timber, suitable for fencing and building purposes.
This is a very delightful spot, without doubt the best and most elevated position in the charming and healthy district of KINGSGROVE. The view is extensive and picturesque, embracing the whole pretty country around for miles, and eastward the SYDNEY LIGHT-HOUSE, and the BOLD COAST LINES in the DISTANCE.
LOT 2.—ALL THAT Block of Land 15 acres, being lot 15 of section 1 of the well-known and famous
GANNON'S FOREST ESTATE,
three miles from the
COOK'S RIVER DAM,
fronting
GANNON'S or BROWN'S ROAD,
a short distance off the
FOREST ROAD.
Plans on view at the Rooms.
Mr. A. H. M'CULLOCH, Pitt-street, Solicitor of the tendor.

Preliminary Advertisement.

GANMAIN and DEEPWATER STATIONS, MURRUMBIDGEE, N. S. W.

R. GOLDSBROUGH and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the administratrix of the late James Devlin, Esq., to sell by auction, at their Wool Warehouses, Bourke and William streets, Melbourne, at an early date,
Those well-known first-class properties,
GANMAIN
and
DEEPWATER,
situate on the Murrumbidgee River, between Wagga Wagga and Narrandera, together with the
Purchased land
Sheep
Cattle
Horses
and effects thereon.

These extensive stations join each other, and contain an area of about 210,000 acres of fine grazing country, consisting of open box forest, boree, and yarran, with plains and rich flats on the river frontage. They are fenced in and subdivided into paddocks, the fencing being for the most part post-and-rail and wire, also chock and log.
There are comfortable family residences on each property, with numerous outbuildings; and on Deepwater there is a substantial woolshed, built of weatherboard and roofed with galvanized iron, lately built at a cost of £1000. On Ganmain there are large cattle yards and other appliances for management.
The stations are well watered, having a frontage of about 15 miles to the Murrumbidgee; also dams and tanks in the various paddocks, thus rendering all the country available. The capabilities may be moderately estimated at 80,000 sheep.
The purchased land includes all the rich river flats, and there are large reserves and improvement right in other portions of the runs, thus rendering them comparatively secure from interference.
These fine properties are for absolute sale to the highest bidder.
For further particulars, terms, &c., apply at
GOLDSBROUGH'S Wool Warehouses, Melbourne.

TO CATTLE-BREEDERS, GRAZIERS, AND OTHERS.

THURSDAY, 18th October
At ARTHURSLEIGH,
12 miles from Marulan.

CLEARING-OUT SALE,
owing to the leasing of the estate. (See special advertisement).

3000 Head Magnificent STORE CATTLE, as follows:—
1600 splendid 3 and 4 year old Bullocks, quiet, well-bred and good colours
1000 Heifers, from 3 years old to yearlings, all got by first-class Bulls
400 choice Breeding Cows, good colours, in calf to Clarence River, JWC, and Woodhouse Bulls
355 superior Yearlings to 2 year old Steers
320 mixed Yearlings.
All the above will be submitted in lots to suit purchasers.
Magnificent Team of 12 Working Bullocks, the finest in the colony, with splendid Waggon and Tackling
Bullock Team of 8, with Dray, Bows, Yokes, and Chains
27-head Saddle and Harness Horses
5 handsome Ponies by a Timor stallion, out of picked mares
14 first-class Working Bullocks
60 pure-bred Leicester Rams
20 pure-bred Southdown Rams

FINLAY and CO. have received instructions from the Hon. Thomas Holt, to sell by auction, at
ARTHURSLEIGH,
on THURSDAY, 18th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above.

Please note that the above class of cattle are something unusual in quality. They will be submitted in lots to suit purchasers. Every convenience will be afforded purchasers for delivery, and the cattle must be sold.

THURSDAY, 18th October.

By order of the Hon. Thomas Holt.

MAGNIFICENT FREEHOLD ESTATES
to be Leased by Auction
for a term of from 7 to 21 years, at the option of the lessee, being subdivisions of that princely property, known as
ARTHURSLEIGH,
30 miles from Goulburn, and ranging in extent from 6000 to 805 acres to 3900 acres freehold.

FINLAY and CO. have received instructions from the Hon. Thomas Holt, to lease by auction,
at ARTHURSLEIGH,
Mount Pleasant, on 18th OCTOBER,
CARRIGAN, GIBRALTAR, and WANGARATTA ESTATES, containing 6000 acres (freehold), subdivided into 9 paddocks, and highly improved.
The WATTLE CREEK ESTATE, containing 4080 acres (freehold), subdivided into 5 paddocks, and highly improved.
THE JUNCTION ESTATE, containing 3840 acres freehold, subdivided into 7 paddocks, and improved
CYMRO ESTATE, about 800 acres first-class grazing land.

These beautiful properties are possessed of the highest fattening qualities—rich agricultural and fertile grazing lands, splendidly watered by the Wollondilly and its tributaries, the finest climate in Australia, five hours by train from Sydney, and a few miles from the Railway Receiving Stock-yards, Southern line.
Post town, Marulan.
Full particulars of these valuable properties will be found in every Saturday's issue of this paper.

It is the intention to submit by auction, at the same time and place, about
3000 head well-bred store cattle
30 horses and ponies
Fattening bullocks, heifers, and young cattle.

Every information and facility to inspect the properties will be afforded on application to the agents.

FUNERALS.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. ROBERT NISBET are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Annie G.; to move from her late residence, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Forest Lodge, THIS AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. W. STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. WALTER LEONARD are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Waterloo-street, Balmain, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Balmain. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 21, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of DANIEL HALLINAN are invited to attend the Funeral of his late FATHER-IN-LAW, Walter Leonard, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Waterloo-street, Balmain, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Balmain. T. DIXON, Undertaker, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of FREDERICK SHEPHERD are invited to attend the Funeral of his late FATHER-IN-LAW, Walter Leonard, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Waterloo-street, Balmain, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Balmain. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 21, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late WILLIAM OSBORNE, for many years connected with the Sydney Theatres, are requested to attend his Funeral; to start from his late residence Little Macquarie-street, near Goulburn-street, on TUESDAY, at a quarter-past 2 o'clock. THOMAS DIXON, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of EDWARD MILHAM are invited to attend the Funeral of his late FATHER-IN-LAW, Walter Leonard, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON; to move from his late residence, Waterloo-street, Balmain, at half-past 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Balmain. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 21, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN MAIN, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late WIFE, Sophia; to move from his residence, Sussex-street, near Market-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 710, George-street South; and 120, Oxford-st.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—SUBSCRIPTIONS, in aid of the above fund, will be received by the undersigned.
JAMES MERRIMAN, Mayor.
Town Hall, Sydney, October 6, 1877.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.
The MAYOR will be in attendance at the Town Hall daily, from 10 a.m. till 4 p.m., to receive subscriptions in aid of the above fund.
JAMES MERRIMAN.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Goods of THOMAS JAMES, late of the Glebe, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Commission Agent, deceased, intestate.
PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862, NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of the above-named Thomas James, who died on the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and letters of administration were duly granted by this Honorable Court to ELLEN JAMES, widow of the above-named deceased, on the second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, are hereby required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned on or before the twenty-fourth day of October next, after which date the said administratrix will at once proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she then shall have had notice.
Dated this thirteenth day of September, A.D. 1877.
JOHN DAWSON and SON, Proctor for said Administratrix, 136, Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Estate and Effects of WILLIAM MASLAN, late of Blue's Point, North Shore, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Waterman, deceased, intestate.
NOTICE is hereby given that after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the publication hereof application will be made to the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, that administration of all and singular the Estate and Effects of the above-named deceased may be granted to EDWARD DOWLING, Blue's Point, North Shore aforesaid, Printer, the duly constituted attorney of John Bailey, of Market, Lavington, in the county of Wilts, in England, gardener, the nephew and next of kin of the said deceased.
Dated this thirteenth day of October, A.D. 1877.
SPAIN and SLY, Proctors for the Applicant, Exchange, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by INDENTURE of ASSIGNMENT, of even date herewith, made between JAMES HAROLD, of Ballina, Richmond River, in the colony of New South Wales, Storekeeper, of the first part; WILLIAM HENDERSON and JAMES MACDONALD, both of Sydney, aforesaid, Gentlemen, Trustees for the purposes thereinafter mentioned, of the second part; and the several persons and bodies corporate, creditors of the said James Harold, whose names are mentioned in the first schedule thereunder written or thereunto annexed; and all other the Creditors of the said James Harold of the third part, all the estate, property, assets, and effects of every description whatsoever and wheresoever, of him the said James Harold, have been assigned unto the said trustees, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Harold. And that the said deed duly executed and attested as by law required, is now lying at the Office of JOHN SHEPHERD, Solicitor, No. 281, George-street, Sydney, aforesaid, for inspection and execution.
Dated this third day of October, A.D. 1877.
JAMES HAROLD.
Witness to the signature of James Harold—JOHN SHARPE, J.P., a Justice of the Peace for the colony of New South Wales.
WILLIAM HENDERSON.
Witness to the signature of William Henderson—JAMES S. FARNELL, J.P., a Justice of the Peace for the colony of New South Wales.
JAMES MACDONALD.
Witness to the signature of James Macdonald—JAMES S. FARNELL, J.P., a Justice of the Peace for the colony of New South Wales.

TESTIMONIAL TO THE REV. CANON GUNTHER, prior to his departure for Europe.—Friends desirous of subscribing to the above are respectfully reminded that contributions will be received at the Commercial Bank, Parramatta, up to THURSDAY, 25th instant; or by
M. A. HARPER, Treasurer, Parramatta.
12th October, 1877.

PEAK DOWNS COPPER MINING COMPANY.—In pursuance of the resolution passed at the special general meeting of the 25th April last, for the dissolution of the Company, in accordance with the provisions of clause 91 (and following) of the Deed of Settlement, a DISTRIBUTION of the ASSETS of the Company, to the extent of (5s) five shillings per share, will be made to the Shareholders, and be payable at the Office of the Company, 32, Bridge-street, Sydney, on and after MONDAY, the 12th of November next.
The Share Register-book being (clause 60) the evidence to show who are the shareholders, it is necessary that holders of untransferred scrip shall submit such to the Board for transfer. For this purpose the Share Register will remain open until the 31st instant, but it will be a great convenience if transfers be effected at once. And, in order that, cheques may be drawn in favour of the persons entitled to receive, it is requested that ALL SCRIP may be lodged with the Secretary on or before the 31st instant.
By order of the Board.
D. N. JOUBERT, Secretary.
Sydney, October 13th, 1877.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies or shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.
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J. F. BURNS, Chairman.

MASONIC.—Lodge Sir Walter Scott, Thames, New Zealand.—Master Masons can receive their G. L. diplomas on application to the Provincial G. Secretary, S. C. WILLIAM HIGSTRIM, Auctioneer, Circular Quay.

N O T I C E.
All persons having any CLAIMS against Mr. EDWARD D'ARCY TOWNS, are requested to forward same under cover to Messrs. GANNON and M'LAUGHLIN, Solicitors, Temple Court, King-street.

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Hunter-street, Newcastle, October 12, 1877.

NOTICE.—I will not be responsible for any DEBTS my son ALEXANDER WARNER may contract after this notice. JOHN WARNER, Comber-street, Paddington.

NO. 2 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—A BALLOT and a SALE each for the right to advances of £300 will take place on TUESDAY, 16th instant, at 8 p.m. THOS. MILLER, Secretary.

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	£	s.		£	s.
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References: Hon. J. B. Thurston: Alexander E. Doig, Esq., Blue's Point, St. Leonards, Sydney.

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TO TAILORS.—Wanted, good COAT MAKERS. 277, George-street.

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TO TAILORS.—Wanted, Trousers and Vest HANDS. R. Douglas, 287, George-street.

TO TAILORESSES.—IMPROVERS wanted. Apply 404, Sussex-street South.

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TO DRAPERS' ASSISTANTS.—Wanted, respectable YOUTH for a country store. Bull, Price, and Co.

TO DRAPERS.—Wanted, JUNIOR for the country, Glue's Labour Agency, 176, Pitt-street.

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TAILORESSES.—Wanted, two respectable GIRLS, to learn the trade throughout. 217, Lower George-st.

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Applications, stating salary required, with name, address, and particulars of qualifications, to be addressed to the Inspector-General of Public Works, Melbourne.
J. B. PATTERSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.
Department of Public Works, Melbourne, 5th October, 1877.

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WANTED, by two first-class MACHINISTS, outdoor work. Apply Mr. Pierce, Yurong-street.

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A STRONG LAD, about 13, wanted, to be generally useful under a gardener. Rockwall, Maclay-st.

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WANTED, a BOY, to be generally useful. T. Johnson, Nos. 3 and 5, George-street Markets.

WANTED, an Errand BOY. T. Ridley, Double Bay.

WANTED, a Lad, as GROOM, and to be generally useful. F. Schmidt, Point Piper Road, Paddington.

WANTED, a respectable LAD to stand at door; from 9 till 1, and 6 till 9 p.m. 241, Elizabeth-street.

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WANTED, a strong GIRL, one who can wash. Mona House, Wynyard-square.

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WANTED, a Girl, as HOUSEMAID, to assist with children. Mrs. Kingsmill Shaw, 179, William-street.

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WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply to Mrs. M. J. Murphy, 235½, Macquarie-street.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT. Mrs. Rudd, Palmer and Liverpool streets, Woolloomooloo.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT; good references. Page's Tea Warehouse, 528, George-street South.

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WANTED, LAUNDRESSES, House and Parlour maids, G. Servants. Glue's Labour Agency, Pitt-st.

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WANTED, a young MAN, one accustomed to butchering. Apply, 8 to 10, H. Beach, 301, Sussex-st.

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